

Final BULLETINS

Nazis Badly Hit In Caucasus

MOSCOW (AP)—The Russians announced tonight that the Germans had suffered "a severe defeat" at the town of Ordzhonikidze, which lies strategically at the top of the important Georgian military highway running southward through the Caucasian Mountains.

Pound Nazi Railroads

LONDON (CP)—R.A.F. fighters conducted offensive patrols today which ranged from Normandy to Holland and attacked and damaged a number of railway engines, freight trains, barges, trucks and a small supply ship, it was stated authoritatively tonight.

Nazis in Tunisia Want French Out

LONDON (CP)—The German commander in Tunisia has presented an ultimatum to Gen. Barre, commanding the French forces there, ordering him to evacuate Tunisian territory or join the Axis, the Morocco radio reported tonight.

Expects Settlement

PRINCETON, B.C. (CP)—W. B. Seaman, manager of the Princeton-Tulameen Coal Company, said today on his return from union-management conferences at Vancouver that he felt sure the discussions had led to a settlement of a dispute which has resulted in a walkout of miners in three collieries here. He said he expected agreements would be signed today or tomorrow.

No Willkie Welcome Till Talk Approved

TORONTO (CP)—Toronto Board of Control this afternoon decided not to approve plans for a civic reception for Wendell Willkie next Wednesday until information is received as to what Willkie will say in a speech he is to make here in support of the Friends for Russia Movement.

"Toronto is not the place for disparaging words to go forth regarding the British Empire," said Mayor Fred Coombs.

2 B.C. Men Prisoners

OTTAWA (CP)—In the 206th Canadian Active Army casualty list of the war, containing the names of 73 men previously reported missing in the Dieppe battle and now reported as prisoners of war the following B.C. man appeared:

CANADIAN ARMORED CORPS
Spr. William Henderson Ross, next of kin wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Ross, Port Alberni.

Hold 12,000 Aliens

NEW YORK (AP)—Federal Bureau of Investigation agents have taken into custody nearly 12,000 enemy aliens, P. E. Foxworth, F.B.I. chief here, disclosed today.

Weygand Arrested, Later Released

LONDON (CP)—Gen. Maxime Weygand was reported by a Fighting French source tonight to have been arrested by the Gestapo after the Nazi march into erstwhile unoccupied France, but to have been freed 24 hours later.

The informant was Leon Morand, prominent French trade unionist who joined the De Gaulleists here after witnessing the German crossing of the former demarcation line.

Urges 3 Years' Pay

EDMONTON (CP)—Premier Aberhart of Alberta, in a statement issued today, suggested that on demobilization, persons who have served in the armed forces or the merchant marine, continue to receive service full pay, including subsistence allowances, for not less than three years after the war and until they have been re-established in civil life. After the three years "the returned men should receive a monthly income from the state, irrespective of any income they may earn."

MacNamara Named to Head Selective Service

OTTAWA (CP)—Labor Minister Mitchell announced today that Arthur MacNamara, associate deputy Minister of Labor, will take over immediate "supervision" of the National Selective Service.

At a press conference later in the day Mr. MacNamara outlined a four-point program which he said was his interpretation of a "definite manpower policy" now being followed by the government.

His program:

1. Men required for the armed forces are to be supplied.
2. The needs of war plants are to be met with manpower and womanpower; and, to the extent necessary, less essential industries are to be curtailed.
3. Voluntary effort is to be used where possible.
4. When the voluntary system falls down, which it has "not yet," the compulsory system will have to be used.

No Sudden Move For Compulsion

Mr. Mitchell endorsed the definition. There was need to move cautiously in introducing compulsion, he said. Compulsory power had been provided for movement of labor in Great Britain, but it had been found that in 95 per cent of the cases people would move voluntarily.

Selective Service will carry on without any interruption of its functions, despite the resignation of Elliott M. Little, Selective Service director, which was announced last night, the minister said at a press conference in his Confederation Building office.

(See resignation story, page 2.)

Mr. MacNamara will not have the title of director of National Selective Service, formerly held by Mr. Little, but will carry on under his present title of associate Deputy Minister of the Labor Department.

Mr. Mitchell said Mr. Little's resignation had come within a few hours of the presentation of a 70-page memorandum outlining manpower policy, which would require careful consideration by the cabinet, the manpower advisory committee and departmental officials.

The proposals made in this memorandum had been worked out during the past month by executives of Mr. Little's department working under confidential instructions, and he was not aware of them until they reached him at his home immediately after his return from Great Britain Sunday, Mr. Mitchell said.

The proposals, in some respects, had constituted "a blank cheque."

No Black Dragon In B.C., Say R.C.M.P.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Assistant Commissioner F. J. Mead of the R.C.M.P. told Judge J. C. A. Cameron this afternoon that "none of our agents has been able to discover that any such organization as the Sokoku-Kai or the Black Dragon exists in Canada."

Mead also told of attending conferences with the F.B.I. at Washington, D.C., and elsewhere and said that "at no time have I ever heard of the Sokoku-Kai Fatherland Society or of Etsuji Morii."

"We discussed subversive movements common to both countries and if the F.B.I. had evidence of the existence of these organizations in Canada they would have communicated it to us as we are in close liaison with them."

GAVE MUCH AID

C. H. Locke, K.C., counsel for the R.C.M.P. and the Security Commission, asked Mead if "from what you have heard," he would recommend internment of Morii, who assisted the commission in evacuating Japanese from the B.C. coast and whose name the News-Herald linked with its charges.

"No," replied Mead. "That man in my opinion has been of great assistance to the government of Canada. It would have taken more than I have heard at this state, irrespective of any income they may earn."

Germans Admit Initiative Seized By Russians

NEW YORK (AP)—The German high command said today the resurgent Red Army has gone from defensive warfare to violent new attacks in the Caucasus, along the Don, south of Leningrad and on the Rybach Peninsula at the northernmost end of the Russian-Finnish frontier.

The Berlin radio broadcast of the communique from Hitler's headquarters, heard here today, claimed the attacks had been repulsed, but suggested they might be the prelude for a new winter comeback drive by the Soviet army.

The only advantage the Germans claimed was in the Tuzape sector along the Black Sea coast of the Caucasus, where the communique said a Russian force had been cut off and destroyed, and in the air war, in which heavy losses were claimed to have been inflicted on the Russians by German and Rumanian fighters and bombers.

Moscow Also Says Russians on Attack

MOSCOW (AP)—Extending their job of bleeding and blocking the German armies, the Russians have taken the initiative in Stalingrad and in the Caucasus, today's battle reports showed.

The midday communique reported no major changes anywhere, but said that during the night "our troops launched active operations and captured several enemy fortifications" in southern Stalingrad.

A Red army unit also was credited with a fighting reconnaissance northwest of the city in which enemy trenches were broken into, 60 Germans killed and others captured.

In a factory area of the Volga stronghold, wrapped for two days in fog, the Germans returned to the attack during the night, but were driven back with 200 killed.

Soviet troops also were reported in active operations which scored some advance northeast of Tuzape along the Black Sea coast in the western Caucasus while 300 of the enemy were said to have been killed in an artillery-supported infantry attack southeast of Nalchik in the mid-Caucasus.

The defenders also struck out in the factory area at Stalingrad Wednesday, occupied several invader strongpoints and killed 600, the Soviet midnight communique said.

44 Asylum Deaths May Be Due To Poison Plot

SALEM, Ore. (AP)—Forty-four insane inmates of the Oregon State Hospital are dead, stricken by an unidentified poison, and a corps of physicians struggled today to save the lives of more than 400 other men and women.

The deaths were blamed on scrambled eggs served at dinner Wednesday night, but bacteriologists this afternoon could not say positively the poison had originated in the eggs themselves. Six of the dead were women.

Dr. Frank R. Menne of the pathology staff of the University of Oregon Medical School at Portland said after an examination that the fatal substance might have been in some ingredient in which the eggs were cooked.

NOW ON GUARD

Dr. J. C. Evans, hospital superintendent, expressed anxiety over the possibility of deliberate poisoning in the kitchen. He feared another attempt.

"Some patients who have full-fledged privileges could have slipped some poison into the food," he said.

"On the other hand," he continued, "since many such eggs are shipped to the army, there is the possibility that some saboteur poisoned a can."

The poison struck swiftly, and within 15 minutes after Wednesday evening's dinner, at which the eggs were served, the victims began complaining of violent cramps. Within an hour the poison had caused the first death. By 10 p.m. five hours after the meal, 10 had died. By midnight, the toll had reached 32.

Rommel's Escape Menaced; British Catch Up

By STEPHEN BARBER
CAIRO (AP)—Vanguards of Britain's 8th Army have reached a point about 50 miles south of Bengasi and 15 miles from the eastern shore of the Gulf of Sirte, overlooking the main coastal road between Bengasi and Agedabia, it was disclosed today.

These forces apparently were the southern wing of the British pursuers of Marshal Rommel's broken Axis army. The communique said they had made contact with the enemy south of Bengasi Wednesday while Allied bombers pounded anew at that Libyan port.

The advance placed the British van in the region of Antelat, close to the high-water mark of the first westward drive across Libya, and indicated that at least part of the 8th Army had bypassed Bengasi and was threatening the only avenue of land escape for any holdout garrison Rommel might leave in the port.

When heavy bombers raided Bengasi at dusk Wednesday several fires were seen in the target area, suggesting the Axis was beginning demolition in the last good harbor left to it east of Tripoli.

2 Burning Wrecks In Harbor's Mouth

At the harbor mouth two burning wrecks lay apparently abandoned. They looked to the fliers as if Rommel might be trying to block the channel.

The weight of the main Allied air effort was against enemy transport planes flying south from Bengasi toward the El Agheila region, where Rommel may try to make a stand. The area commands a bottleneck between the Gulf of Sirte and salt marshes 400 miles east of Tripoli.

Seven JU-52 transport planes were shot down by Allied fighters, three others were destroyed on the ground and at least another 20 transport-type planes were damaged on the ground.

Allied fighters also pounded road transport around the bend of the Gulf of Sirte, causing considerable damage, while Axis air forces made only feeble resistance.

"An 8,000-ton tanker, sailing westward off the coast of Tripoli on the night of Nov. 17-18, was attacked by our naval aircraft," the communique said. "Two direct hits amidships were scored with torpedoes and the vessel was reported to be burning furiously."

Nazis Lose Heavily In Aerial Warfare

"Seven German transport aircraft were shot down and at least three were destroyed on the ground when our fighters attacked landing grounds in the Bengasi area," it was said.

This action was coupled with a heavy bombing attack at dusk Wednesday which started large fires in the Bengasi docks area. Two ships were reported left burning near the harbor entrance.

East of Bengasi, a Heinkel and a Junkers 52 were declared destroyed in a raid on the Barce airfield, 70 miles east of Bengasi, the previous day.

"Enemy transport vehicles also were successfully attacked by four fighters on the roads south of Bengasi," the communique said.

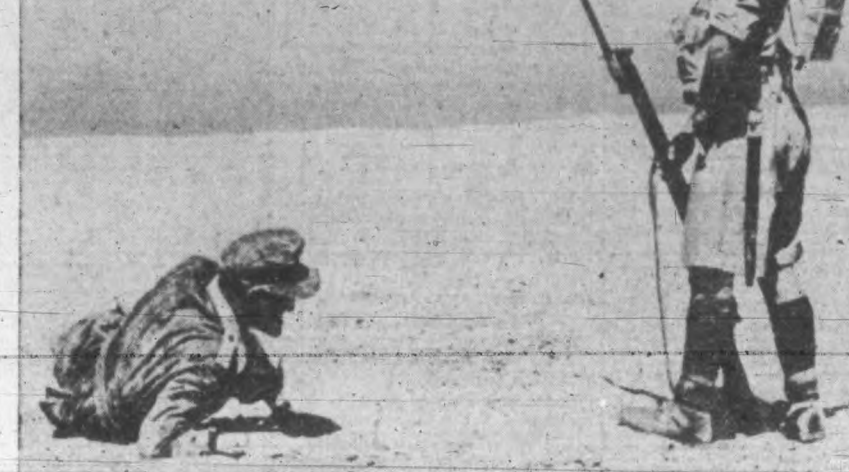
German-Italian aerial activity was dismissed as on a small scale.

"Reuters News Agency said a Morocco radio broadcast reported the arrival of Allied supply ships at Tobruk. These presumably were from Egypt and indicated the Royal Navy and the service corps were putting the recaptured Libyan port to their own uses to keep the chase of Rommel fueled and supplied."

Egypt to Help Set Terms

CAIRO (AP)—King Farouk said in a throne speech at the opening of a new session of Parliament today that Egypt, non-belligerent ally of the United Nations, has requested and received a promise of representation in any peace conferences to be held after the war.

Defeat in the Desert



As the British roll on westward in pursuit of Rommel's fleeing desert forces, a lone British sentry stands guard over a wounded German officer while waiting for a field ambulance to arrive. (Passed by censor.)

3-Pronged Allied Drive Thrusting Into Tunisia

By E. C. DANIEL

LONDON (AP)—Three of the toughest armies assembled by the United Nations since the start of the war converged on the Bizerte-Tripoli-Bengasi triangle today in fighting contact with Axis forces while Allied planes and parachute troops built up air power in preparation for the final assault to wipe the Germans and Italians from north Africa.

As British and United States troops squeezed the last Axis foothold from east and west, a motorized column of Fighting French was reported driving up from the Lake Chad base 1,200 miles to the south to put the Lorraine cross of Fighting France into the battle along with the tricolor of French North African garrisons which have joined with the Allies.

Sweeping back outlying Axis positions, Lt. Gen. Kenneth Anderson's 1st Army—the veterans of Flanders—drove on into Tunisia from Algeria at several points in a sweep intended to trap and crush the German-Italian airborne army reported digging in at Tunis, the capital, and Bizerte, the big naval base, against pro-Ally French resistance.

Parachutists Take Important Dromes

Leaping ahead of Anderson's ground forces, British and United States parachutists were seizing vital airfields for use by follow-up units of the R.A.F. and United States army air forces which were gunning their way through the Axis aerial screen.

The R.A.F. laid down a bomb barrage for the advance, while veteran Battle-of-Britain squadrons engaged Axis bomber flights, and United States Flying Fortresses turned their bomb-sights upon the Axis-held Bizerte airfield.

Reuters reported from north Africa that four Spitfires attacked a flight of six Italian Savoia torpedo planes near an Algerian port, shot down four of them and drove the others away before they could discharge their torpedoes against an Allied convoy.

Although the Allied communique did not identify the points at which columns had driven into Tunisia, information here suggested that these followed the main road and rail routes. One from the Algerian port of Bone along the coast through Tabarca toward Bizerte; a second along a rail line from Tebessa, Algeria, toward Tunis; and a third, farther south, along a trail which runs through Gafsa to Gabes, where better roads lead on to Sfax and the coastal rail line to Tunis.

Progress of these drives was not disclosed, but pro-Ally French forces were reported making a fighting withdrawal to join the incoming British and American forces, while their com-

patriots from Algeria advanced as scouts ahead of Gen. Anderson's army.

Observers here said the advance from Lake Chad might use as a striking base the Kufra Oasis, which is 500 miles south of Bengasi and which the Fighting French seized from an Italian garrison 18 months ago.

Forces in the Chad region were reported here to be of considerable number, well equipped and supported by South African and R.A.F. squadrons.

The Morocco radio said only about 940 miles separated a motorized column from Lake Chad and the Allied force of Lt. Gen. Kenneth Anderson pushing eastward through Tunisia.

There was no confirmation of this in authoritative London circles, but British observers previously noted that such an assault was possible from Lake Chad in French Equatorial Africa some 1,200 miles south of the Mediterranean.

Paper Bag Weights And Sizes Limited

OTTAWA (CP)—The Prices Board today ordered that paper bags used for various commercial purposes must henceforth be manufactured in fewer sizes and from prescribed weights of paper.

Paper bags in process of manufacture Nov. 19 may be completed, and also bags to fill written orders received before that date.

French Fall Back To Contact Allies

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Battleship Or Big Cruiser, Others Sent Down

WASHINGTON (AP)—A Japanese battleship or heavy cruiser, three large cruisers and a destroyer were sunk and another battleship, a cruiser and a destroyer were damaged by an American battleship task force in a naval battle in the Guadalcanal area of the Solomon Islands, last Saturday night and early Sunday morning, the United States navy reported this afternoon.

The navy emphasized in issuing today's report that information on the second battle was fragmentary and that it might be several days before full reports were in and the actions carefully plotted so that a full evaluation of the devastation wrought on the foe could be made.

U.S. Ships Led By Admiral Lee

The fact that American battleships took part in the action was stated in the communique, which said the task force was under command of Rear-Admiral W. A. Lee Jr. of Owenton, Ky.

Lee's force "engaged a Japanese surface force in the Guadalcanal area during the night of Nov. 14-15, and inflicted the following damage on the enemy," the communique said, listing the ships.

The fact that the reports on which this announcement was based were at best fragmentary raised the possibility that even with this heavy score the full loss caused the Japanese might not even now be known here.

Commenting on the possibility of some duplication between today's report and that of last Monday, covering the earlier fighting which started Nov. 13, the navy said in its communique that "clarification on this point must await the receipt of a complete summary of the action from the commander of naval forces in that area."

Sinkings Achieved Without Losses

No new United States losses were reported.

A naval spokesman said that the five Japanese ships reported sunk and the three reported damaged might possibly duplicate to some extent a report of damage previously announced for the great naval battle which was fought in the same area in the early hours of Thursday, Nov. 13.

This spokesman expressed confidence, however, that the duplications did not occur in more than two or three instances, and it was apparent that the naval victory scored over the enemy in the Solomons during a series of running engagements late last week was of even greater magnitude than first announced.

Last Monday the navy had announced the destruction of 11 Japanese warships, including a battleship and three heavy cruisers, the sinking or destruction of 12 other vessels and the damaging of seven, including one battleship.

Provided there are no duplications in the reports, therefore, the Japanese battleship losses in two or three days of Solomons fighting which ended with the enemy in full retreat to the north, would stand at two battleships sunk and two damaged.

'Petain Deputies Still Act'—Darlan

LONDON (CP)—Admiral Jean Darlan, broadcasting from Algiers, declared today that the administrators appointed to north Africa by Marshal Petain "will continue with a large degree of autonomy under my supreme authority to direct and administer the territories entrusted to them."

Darlan again restated his contention that, although he is working in collaboration with the Allies, he is fulfilling Petain's mandate given before the Germans occupied all of France.

No Sugar for Pipes

VANCOUVER (CP)—Pipers of a regiment stationed near Nanaimo won't be allowed special coupons for the 10 cents' worth of Demerara sugar they claim they need each month to "sweeten their pipes." Prices Board officials say the soldiers will have to wangle the 10-cent supply out of their regular ration.



Here's how the Allied-Axis battles in North Africa line up. At top, the Allies operating from Bone, Algeria, continue to pour into Bizerte and Tunis and the R.A.F. pounds enemy bases as Nazis attempt to get through supplies from Sicily. The inset shows the continued Axis retreat through Libya toward Tripoli.

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day. Committee for Medical Aid
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Card party, military 500 at St.
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Black Dragon Inquiry Nears End; Morii Called

VANCOUVER (CP)—The in-
quiry by Judge J. C. A. Cameron
as a commissioner into charges
by the Vancouver News-Herald
of Black Dragon activity in Brit-
ish Columbia neared a close to-
day with Etsuji Morii, a Japan-
ese whose name was mentioned
in the newspaper stories, ex-
pected to be one of the last wit-
nesses.

Wednesday a News-Herald re-
porter, Ted Ward, told Judge
Cameron that Aubrey M. Dins-
more supplied him with "some of
the information" used in the ar-
ticle which led to the inquiry being
ordered.

Dinsmore himself, summoned
as a witness, said he thought it
"his duty as a Canadian citizen"
to give his information to the
News-Herald. He said he had
not gone to the R.C.M.P. with his
story because he heard "Morii
was acting in co-operation with
the R.C.M.P."

Under cross-examination by C.
H. Locke, K.C., counsel for the
R.C.M.P. and the B.C. Security
Commission, Dinsmore said he
could not remember the name of
"one Japanese that told you
(Dinsmore) about Morii's fifth
column activities."

JAPS TERRORIZED

Commissioner Cameron said it
had been stated in one of the
News-Herald articles that Morii,
head of a Japanese liaison com-
mittee which assisted the com-
mission in evacuating Japanese
from the British Columbia coast,
had terrorized the Japanese com-
munity here for 20 years.

"Who told you that?" he asked
Ward.

"That was the general infor-
mation we got from the Japanese,"
Ward replied.

"Somebody must have sug-
gested that to you, or was it an
inference on your part because
Morii was charged with murder
some years ago?" asked Judge
Cameron.

"For 20 years the Japanese
community has gone in fear of
certain jujitsuists," Ward said.

CITIZEN'S DUTY

When asked his purpose in con-
tacting the News-Herald, Dins-
more said he went to the news-
paper last August and told them
the story.

"Why did you go?" asked the
commissioner. "All you had was
a rumor."

"I thought it was my duty as
a Canadian citizen," Dinsmore
replied.

He said he did not know why
he had selected the News-Herald
out of the three Vancouver daily
newspapers and later acknowl-
edged under questioning that he
previously had offered the infor-
mation to the Vancouver Sun,
but that the "Sun was not inter-
ested."

Wednesday, Harold Winch,
C.C.F. leader in the provincial
Legislature, told the commis-
sioner that a statement attrib-
uted to him by Sgt. John K.
Barnes of the R.C.M.P. regarding
that force gave a "false impres-
sion."

Mr. Winch was summoned to
reappear at the inquiry following
a statement by Sgt. Barnes Tues-
day that the C.C.F. leader had
told Japanese here is discussing
the R.C.M.P. that he "hated their
guts, too."

Mr. Winch said his criticism
of the R.C.M.P. was intended to
win the confidence of the Japa-
nese, who had staged a demon-
stration in immigration sheds
here and refused to obey evacua-
tion orders.

Franco Rebuffs Hitler?

LONDON (CP)—A Reuters
news agency dispatch from An-
kara quoted diplomatic sources
in the Turkish capital today
as saying Gen. Francisco Franco
of Spain, had refused to grant
Germany naval and air bases.

Elliott M. Little Resigns

Government Scored By Manpower Chief As He Quits; Labor Minister Replies

OTTAWA (CP)—Resigna-
tion of Elliott M. Little, director
of National Selective Service,
today confronted Labor Minister
Mitchell with the task of finding
a successor for a position in
which Mr. Little said he had ex-
perienced "friction and obstruc-
tion," resulting in "virtual pa-
ralysis" of the organization he
headed.

In a 700-word letter dated
Monday, which he made public
Wednesday night, Mr. Little
voiced blunt criticism of the gov-
ernment, of Mr. Mitchell and of
the War Services Department.
Shortly afterwards Mr. Mitchell
issued a brief statement saying
Mr. Little's resignation had been
accepted, effective immediately.
He also made public his letter of
reply to Mr. Little, written Wed-
nesday.

DEFINITE COMPLAINTS

Mr. Little in his letter, which
he termed "frank," made definite
complaints, which he said had
forced his resignation, among
them:

1. Lack of a "clear directive" from the government on manpower policy.
2. Refusal to accept proposals which he advanced.
3. Failure of Mr. Mitchell to assist him.
4. Lack of necessary authority to carry out a Selective Service program.
5. Failure of the War Services Department to co-operate in transferring the military call-up to Selective Service.
6. Hindrances in efforts to obtain the co-operation of labor and industrial management.

Mr. Mitchell, in his reply ac-
cepting the resignation, said he
preferred not to answer several
of Mr. Little's statements be-
cause they arose "from miscon-
ceptions and are scarcely worthy
of you."

The minister said the "very
far-reaching" proposals made by
Mr. Little had reached him only
a day before Mr. Little tendered
his resignation. Mr. Mitchell said
he had "done everything in my
power" to support the director of
Selective Service, and had made
\$505,000 available for the depart-
ment in the present year. "Vast
expansion of employment offices
had been carried out as part of
the program."

In an accompanying statement
Mr. Mitchell said his relationship
with Mr. Little had been "most
cordial" and he felt Mr. Little's
action was "mainly due to cer-
tain misconceptions."

"Further development of
National Selective Service" would
receive his first attention, Mr.
Mitchell said, and he hoped
shortly to make an announce-
ment on the subject.

MAY DELAY TRANSFER

Transfer of the call-up for
compulsory military service from
the National War Services De-
partment to Selective Service was
scheduled for Dec. 1. Whether it
will be delayed by a reorganiza-
tion in Selective Service was not
immediately apparent.

Changes in the administration
of Selective Service comes at a
time when Mr. Mitchell is en-
gaged in a shuffle of executives
of the labor department itself.
Dr. Bryce Stewart, deputy min-
ister, recently submitted his
resignation, which was originally
to have been effective Nov. 1.
Later Dr. Stewart agreed to
remain with the department for
a short time and he accompanied
Mr. Mitchell on his recent trip
to the United Kingdom, giving
special attention to study of
Selective Service and labor prob-
lems overseas.

It now is considered likely that
Dr. Stewart will remain with the
department indefinitely, though
it is not known in exactly what
capacity.

Arthur MacNamara, associate
deputy minister, was considered
a likely successor to Dr. Stewart
as deputy, but in some circles the
suggestion is being advanced that
he may head the Selective Service
organization.

Possibility of the resignation of
several Selective Service execu-
tives, who were associated with
Mr. Little in private business be-
fore they came to Ottawa, was
also a topic of discussion on
Parliament Hill today.

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Lack of National Plan Cause of Manpower Crisis

LONDON, Ont. — Manpower
constitutes the most serious prob-
lem which faces Canada and the
government has been dodging it
since the outbreak of war, writes
Arthur R. Ford in a special Ot-
tawa article in the London Free
Press.

"Everyone in Ottawa who has
given the question any thought
feels that a national plan should
have been made long ago covering
the manpower situation," Mr.
Ford continues. "It is not diffi-
cult to figure out how many men
and women there are in Canada
capable of serving in some form
of war effort. Then it should be
decided that Canada can support
a certain sized army, can enlist so
many airmen, can call upon so
many men for the navy and at the
same time recruit the army of
workmen needed for our huge
armament industry."

Mr. Ford points out that before
the war emergency plans had
been prepared by the Bank of
Canada, the treasury, post office,
fisheries and other departments.
The war had hardly started when
the munitions department was
planned and set up.

MCAUGHTON REPORT PIGEON-HOLED

"But as for manpower there
was no plan prepared," Mr. Ford
goes on. "After over three years
of war there is still none avail-
able and none apparently will be
made until the situation blows up.
This is an inconceivable situa-
tion. But true."

"General McNaughton at the
very outbreak of the war pre-
pared a memorandum for the
government in which he urged
that steps should be taken to see
that skilled mechanics were not
allowed to be enlisted in the army.
They were too necessary for mun-
ition making in this mechanized

war. However, it was pigeon-
holed."

"There was the national regis-
tration and again the vote on the
plebiscite, but no steps were ever
taken to control the costly and
uneconomic system whereby the
army, the navy, the air force and
the factories competed with one
another for manpower. Last
summer a National Selective Ser-
vice was set up. But it has no
control over voluntary enlistment.
The manpower reservoir is grow-
ing smaller and the confusion
worse."

ARMY-INDUSTRY CONTROVERSY

"There has long been a contro-
versy between the military men
backed by Hon. J. L. Ralston, min-
ister of national defence, who be-
lieve in a big army, and those who
think that we have already ex-
panded far beyond our manpower
resources for armed forces and
that there should be a concentra-
tion on the armament program
for Canada. Hon. C. D. Howe as
minister of munitions and sup-
plies, is naturally the chief pro-
ponent of those who feel that
the army is too big. We have to-
day six divisions for overseas and
two in this country. There are
rumors in Ottawa that there will
be two more divisions organized.
Those opposed to this huge army
ask the question where are the
reinforcements coming from?"

CONFUSION GROWS WORSE

"Mr. King has refused so far
to intervene in the controversy
and in the meantime the con-
fusion is growing worse. Mr.
Little was brought in as head of
the National Selective Service in
order to solve the problem. He
is an able executive, took hold
of the job with enthusiasm."
Mr. Ford says that Mr. Little
found he had no authority over

voluntary enlistments to prevent
mechanics, skilled workmen or
farm boys enlisting. The non-
essential industries are under the
authority of Donald Gordon, Mr.
Little was not told how large an
army Canada was to have, how
many were required for the air
force and navy and how many
for munitions plants. Until he
was given this information he
faced an almost impossible task.

HEADING FOR CRISIS

Mr. Ford continues:
"No authority at Ottawa has
allocated manpower according
to the needs of the war. The
wasteful competition continues
and apparently will continue
until the situation becomes im-
possible."

"If the problem is not faced,
the results may be disastrous.
"Everyone in Ottawa who has
given the question any thought
feels that a national plan should
have been made long ago cov-
ering the manpower situation."

"The reason the government
is not facing up to the problem
is simple. As soon as the govern-
ment tackles it in an all-out way,
immediately it is up against the
question of conscription for ser-
vice overseas. And Rt. Hon. Mac-
kenzie King is not prepared to
face the question of conscription
as a last resort. His reasons are
two. All his life Mr. King has
had his chief political theme,
national unity. Mr. King is con-
vinced that if conscription is en-
forced it will result in the same
bitterness as followed the enact-
ment of conscription in 1917.
The second reason is that Mr.
King feels that there will be no
conscription until the voluntary
system has failed and he can
honestly say at present it has not
failed."

Japan Preparing Push Into Yunnan

CHUNGKING (AP)—A Chi-
nese army spokesman said today
there were indications the Japa-
nese were preparing to drive into
Yunnan province, southwest
China, from French Indo-China.
This thrust, he said, would be
co-ordinated with one from the
section of Yunnan province ad-
jacent to Burma, which the Japa-
nese occupied last spring. They
have been stationary there since
May.

The spokesman said the Japa-
nese recently had secretly in-
creased their strength in Yun-
nan by 12,000 men, bringing the

total to 30,000, and at the same
time bolstered their air forces at
Wanting and other air fields in
the occupied border region.

"We are watching develop-
ments very carefully," he said.

The spokesman added the Japa-
nese had assembled landing
craft, including collapsible rub-
ber boats, for crossing the turbu-
lent waters of the Salween River
as the first step of the drive, the
objectives of which would be the
capture of Kunming and the pos-
sible disruption of air services
between India and China.

3 Fliers Decorated

LONDON (CP)—Three Cana-
dian aviators, decorated for
bravery and devotion to duty dur-

ing the past summer, received
their awards from the King in
recent Buckingham Palace in-
vestiture, it was disclosed today.

They were Flt. Lt. Ralph Chris-
tie of North Bay, Ont., who re-
ceived the Distinguished Service
Order; Wing Cmdr. P. H. Wood-
ruff of Edmonton, who received
the Distinguished Flying Cross,
and Warrant Officer Ronald John
Emberg of Montreal, who also
won the D.F.C.

Woodruff was honored June 6
for leading an R.C.R.F. Blenheim
fighter squadron of the coastal
command in a raid on the Ger-
man cruiser Prinz Eugen. Wood-
ruff drove off three Messer-
schmitts during the engagement.

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1,500-mile Flight

Italy Raided Again, Turin Works Bombed

LONDON (CP)—R.A.F. bomb-
ers pounded Turin Wednesday
night in the fifth big raid on
Italian war centres during No-
vember, it was authoritatively
announced today.

Turin is an airplane, motor car
and machine-producing city on
the River Po, the chief seat of
industry in Italy. It was raided
last by the R.A.F. twice in suc-
cession, Oct. 22 and 23.

The royal arsenal, the Fiat en-
gine works and a branch of the
Caproni works are among mili-
tary targets of the city, which
have been attacked 20 times dur-
ing the war.

The raid by home-based Brit-
ish bombers entailed another
1,500-mile round trip and two
crossings of the Alps.

In the four previous raids in
November, the target was Genoa,
northern Italian naval base and
industrial port which has a key
part in supplying the Axis forces
in the French north African cam-
paign.

Even before announcement of
the latest raid, air raid alarms in
Geneva and Lausanne, Switzer-
land, indicated the R.A.F. was

abroad. Swiss anti-aircraft guns
were in action.

Observers on the southeast
coast of England reported heavy
bombers had crossed the English
Channel there in a steady pro-
cession for 70 minutes Wednesday
night.

NO LOSS OF PLANES

The Air Ministry announced
the R.A.F. bombers returned
from Turin without the loss of
one plane.

"Last night aircraft of the
bomber command attacked the
Fiat works and other targets at
Turin. The sky over northern
Italy was clear and the crews
report good results."

The Italian high command re-
ported "considerable damage to
civilian houses," some fires in
Turin, 24 dead and 2 wounded.
The communique made no claim
of shooting down any of the
raiders. It said the fires were
quickly controlled.

Five members of the R.C.A.F.
serving with the R.A.F. reported
the Turin trip was uneventful
and that good fires were starting
when they arrived at the target.

New Spitfire Fighter In Operational Use

LONDON (CP)—A new, im-
proved Vickers-Supermarine Spit-
fire fighter plane, with a bigger
engine and four-bladed propeller,
is in operational use, the Air Min-
istry discloses.

Speed and horsepower of the
new fighter are military secrets,
but it is powered with the Rolls
Royce Merlin 61 engine instead
of the Merlin 45 or 46.

It carries two cannon and four
machine guns in the wings.

Its lines are almost identical
with previous Spitfire models ex-
cept that it has a longer nose to
accommodate the bigger engine.
The four-bladed propeller pro-
vides greater blade area to absorb
increased power output.

The chief difference in appear-
ance from the present Spitfire
type is in the wings, both of
which have underslung radiators.
The radiator under the port wing
replaces a somewhat smaller oil-
cooler, and is linked with the en-
gine inter-cooler, which is a fea-
ture of the two-stage super-
charged Merlin 51.

Australian Labor Debates Militia Change

MELBOURNE (CP)—The
interstate labor conference to-
day referred to state branches
of the Labor Party the govern-
ment's proposal which would per-
mit use of the Australian militia
"in such territories of the south-
west Pacific which the Governor-
General may proclaim as terri-
tories associated with the defence
of Australia."

(The Australian militia, which
is conscripted, may be used only
for home defence under the law
which Labor Prime Minister
John Curtin seeks to change.
The Australian Imperial Force,
like the Canadian army overseas,
is made up of volunteers.)

The state branches will in-
struct delegates who will attend
another interstate conference on

the subject before the end of the
year.

The party adopted a resolution
urging the lifting of the ban on
the Communist Party. It stated
that while the conference
strongly dissociated itself from
the Communist Party and Com-
munist propaganda, it believes in
the right of free political expres-
sion.

Tillicum-Craigflower P.T.A.
heard reports of the different
committees at its recent meet-
ing at Tillicum School. Rev. T. H.
McAllister, program convener, in-
troduced Miss Hannesson from
the Home Lighting Department
of the B.C. Electric, who gave an
interesting talk on better lighting
for homes, showed colored lights
and their results and then an-
swered questions. The attendance
shield went to grade 6 at Tillicum
and grades 4, 5 and 6 at Craig-
flower. The next meeting will
be held in January at St. Mar-
tin's Hall, after which a card
party will take place.

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Italy for InvasionBy PETER EDSON
WASHINGTON — In the light
of current news, anti-Fascist
Italian leaders in the United
States are quietly getting a lot
of satisfaction out of the thought
that Italy is now being "softened
up" for invasion.They point to the invasion of
French North Africa by Allied
forces, with potential follow-up
operations against the whole
southern coast of the Mediter-
ranean to establish bases from
actual attack on Italy could be
launched.They point to the job which
Gen. Montgomery now seems to
be doing on Gen. Rommel, et al.,
in Libya.They point to the British bomb-
ing raids on the Italian industrial
area around Turin and Genoa.BIDDLE PLEASED THEM
No one thing has given Italian
leaders in the United States a big-
ger lift than the Columbus Dayannouncement from Attorney
General Francis Biddle, lifting
the stigma of "enemy alien" from
the 600,000 unaturalized born-
in-Italy residents of the country.
Radio Rome tried to label that
as a pre-election Roosevelt trick,
and in short-wave broadcasts
beamed at the United States, the
Italian mouthpieces tried to
warn American citizens of Italian
birth not to fall into this trap.Few people in the United States
listen to Radio Rome, aside from
the government-paid listeners-in-
who try to keep an ear tuned to
the Fascist party line, but to
fully appreciate how funny this
warning of a "Roosevelt trick"
really is, all you have to do is
look at the election returns.Though Radio Rome has no
effect on what goes on in the
United States, to aid in the pro-
cess of "softening up" Italy for
later co-operation with the United
Nations, a constant barrage of
radio propaganda is kept up fromboth Britain and the United
States, aimed at feeding accurate
information into Italy for use by
the Italian underground.The line for this U.S. radio
propaganda is determined by the
intelligence section of the Army
General Staff, the Office of Naval
Intelligence, the State Depart-
ment and the Office of War In-
formation's overseas section, the
last-mentioned agency being the
one that actually handles the
broadcasts.

PROPAGANDA POLICY

It is almost impossible for any-
one in the United States to fol-
low these broadcasts from the
United States to foreign coun-
tries, for it is only by luck and
under freak atmospheric condi-
tions that a short-wave receiver
in the U.S. can pick up the beam.
Naturally, the general staffs of
the army and navy aren't putting
out what their policy is in broad-
casting to any foreign country,
but in general it can be said
that the idea with regard to Italy
is to put over to the Italian popu-
lation the thought that the
United Nations are not seeking
to inflict any reprisals or punish-
ments on the Italian people them-
selves for the misdeeds of theFascist government under Musso-
lini.The main problem boils down
to this fundamental of "softening
up" the Italians so as to pre-
pare them to welcome a possible
invasion by United Nations
troops.

STRENGTH NOT KNOWN

How strong the Italian under-
ground movement really is can't
be determined and probably
couldn't be told if it were known.
Anti-Fascists in the United States
think it's pretty good. Ameri-
cans who were in Italy right up
to the time the United States got
into the war aren't so sure, but
American newspaper correspond-
ents have been kicked out of
Italy for writing stories about
executions of anti-Fascists.There are supposedly Commu-
nists and Liberal wings to anti-
Fascism in Italy today, the Com-
munists probably being the
stronger and better organized. In
the United States, the Italian Lib-
erals are more important. But
the point made by Italian leaders
in the U.S. is that both groups
are working together now, against
Mussolini.Specifically, the Italian under-
ground takes credit for much of
the inefficiency of the Italian
army, for sabotage of Italian war
industries, for actually aiding the
Jugoslavian revolutionary move-
ment under General Mihailovich.Montreal Candidate
Criticizes PriestMONTREAL (CP) — Jean
Drapeau, candidate "of the
drafts" in the Outremont fed-
eral by-election campaign, said
Wednesday "the Rev. Maj.
Armand Sabourin, chaplain of
Les Fusiliers Mont-Royal at
Dieppe, ceased to be a priest or
a soldier when he started his
present imperialist propaganda
campaign."Mr. Drapeau, 26-year-old oppo-
nent of Maj.-Gen. L. R. LaFleche,
Minister of National War Ser-
vices, in the Nov. 30 by-election,
was speaking at his first public
meeting, attended by about 1,000
persons in a north end school
hall, plus an overflow outside
audience.He said "we are grateful to the
Rev. Maj. Sabourin for the
spiritual comfort he may have
brought to our soldiers, but we
will fight him to the end when
he behaves the way he has since
he returned from overseas."(Maj. Sabourin, mentioned in
dispatches after the Dieppe raid,
has made several public speeches
since his return to Canada.)Mr. Drapeau said the campaign
in Outremont was being fought
between Maj.-Gen. LaFleche, "the
executioner," and the drafts, "the
victims.""We are in favor of the war
effort for Canada," he said, "but
we do not give a hoot for a war
effort for England.""This is the supreme fight for
drafts across the country," Mr.
Drapeau continued, "and I and
the young men helping me are
actually pleading for our lives
when we ask you, Outremont
voters, to cast your vote against
a conscriptionist minister."Quebec Youth Boasts
Ignoring Draft NoticeMONTREAL (CP) — Marc
Carriere, chief organizer for
Jean Drapeau in the Outremont
federal by-election, said in a
campaign speech Wednesday
that "I received my call-up notice
some time ago. I did not give a
hoot about it."Carriere, 22 years old, added:
"They may send me to jail or to
an internment camp for it, but
I will not don a uniform to serve
a cause which is not Canada's."

Unconfirmed Nazi Claim

LONDON (AP) — The German-
controlled Vichy radio broadcast
today a Madrid report that 50
damaged British warships and
merchantmen had arrived at
Gibraltar and landed dead and
wounded.

Letters to the Editor

EDUCATION AND
DEMOCRACYWith some comments of your
columnist on the promotion of
education as "The Foundation of
Democracy" I and others will
agree. Though why he should
say he or I or anyone who says
our education system is a failure
is ignorant, is beyond me.Of course it is a failure if the
idea is to fit students as citizens
for a better life than we now
have. If the idea is to carry on
with our present messing of
human affairs it is very success-
ful.It seems to me the whole edu-
cation system is a costly farce.
Any 'teen-age boy or girl not
conditioned to conformity would
scrap our way of life; made up
entirely of false premise—of per-
sonal gain as against social val-
ues and personal well-being.G. B. Shaw says: "We must
teach citizenship and political
science at school. But must we?
There is no must about it, the
hard fact being that we must not
teach political science and citizen-
ship at school. The schoolmaster
who attempted it would soon find
himself penniless in the streets.""However, all thought of the
permanence of our system will—
we can trust—be gone by the time
this war is over. What a sight
it will be if we then find our
teachers trying to maintain it.
They must. The course is pre-
scribed and they are set to go."
F. A. THORNTON.

Sidney.

LAY-STRATEGISTS FLYED

The opening of the Second
Front has apparently offered a
much desired opportunity to
many news analysts, who in the
past have been denouncing and
criticizing all so-called lay-
strategists for their criticism of
the military experts for their
failure to produce a second front.
All this, despite the fact, that thecriticism emanated from other
experts, and with whom, in the
majority of cases, the lay-
strategists agreed in toto.Clemenceau, during the last
Great War said: "War is much
too serious a matter to be left
to generals," and his statement
was to a great extent proven,
when Poincare found it necessary
to recall a general from the front
to Paris for consultation. The
president had heard that the
general had intentions of ad-
vancing on a district that was
manufacturing munitions for the
Germans; the destruction of
which would have brought the
war to an early close.It will also be remembered
that during the last Great War
Lloyd George said: "Criticism
aided materially in winning the
war."Dorothy Thompson in a re-
cently syndicated article entitled
"typewriter strategists," elu-
cidated the title by explaining: "If
he is serious, he is not someone
who conjures ideas out of his
own mind, but has studied the
different schools of 'experts.'"
She then continued to explain
that in no army or navy do its
own experts all agree, and in
listing these nations, it seems a
significant fact that she leaves
out Russia. However, she goes
on to explain this exception by
stating: "Students of Russian
military strategy find consistency
in the Russian war plan for the
last 15 years. The purge of the
generals was a political matter,
not a military, and their suc-
cessors maintained the same
general strategy." She further
states: "The nature of an army
is authoritarian and disciplinary,
the minority who do not agree
are purged. One does not have to
look abroad for examples. There
was Billy Mitchell, whom the
'typewriter strategists' could not
save from being court-martialed,
and Charles de Gaulle, who be-Gorgeous
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came a 'typewriter strategist'
himself, in order to air some of
his own views to which no atten-
tion was paid in the high com-
mand. His views were shared by
a number of other 'typewriter
strategists' who could not put
over their views in face of the
opposition of the Allied High
Command."JOHN McDERMOTT,
674 Battery Street.

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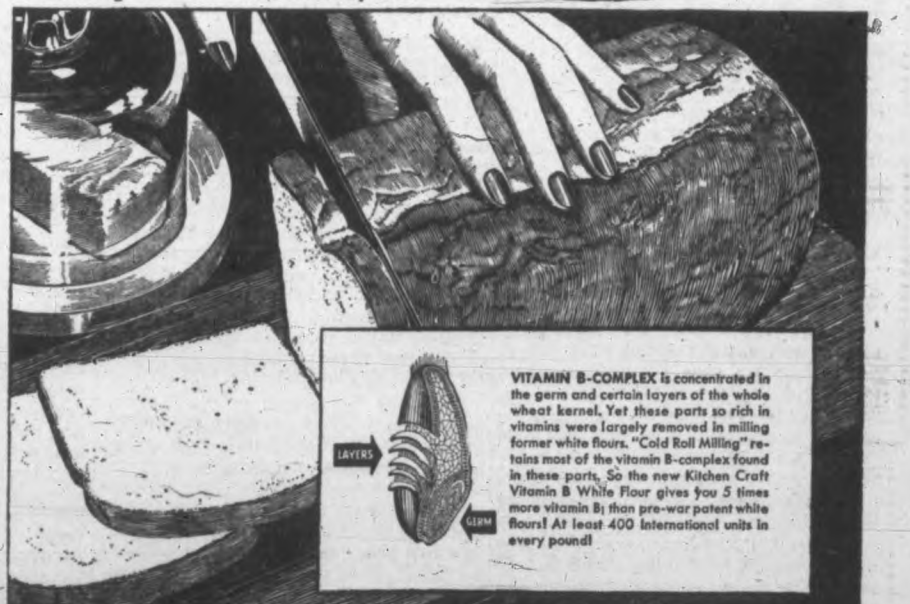
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An Alarming Situation

UNTIL HON. HUMPHREY MITCHELL, federal Minister of Labor, issues his promised statement in reply to the resignation of Mr. Elliott Little from his position as Director of National Selective Service there will be a disposition to withhold judgment. But enough already is known to convince the public that a state of indecision—which had been apparent—has progressively hampered the solution of the Dominion's vital and urgent manpower problem. Mr. Little's blunt complaint that he had encountered so much "friction and obstructionism" that it had resulted in what he termed "virtual paralysis" of the selective service organization, reads strangely and ominously when considered with Mr. Mitchell's statement that his relations with his department had been "most cordial," and that the Selective Service director had left his post "mainly due to certain misconceptions."

The gravamen of Mr. Little's disillusionment centres in his statement that in this fourth year of the war he was without any "clear directive from the government on manpower policy" or adequate organization "to achieve a total and balanced manpower effort." This is a serious charge from an able businessman whose appointment, more than seven months ago, to one of the most important wartime posts in the gift of the government was hailed far and wide as a realistic move toward a solution of what at that time was regarded as of pressing urgency. Not only does it demand a categorical, prompt and unequivocal reply from the Minister of Labor, to whom the Director of National Selective Service has been responsible during this long period; it demands the immediate attention of the war committee of the government. Mr. Mackenzie King announced Mr. Little's appointment in the House of Commons last March 24, and his detailed recital of the duties of the new agency included much informative statistical data which, of course, was intended to demonstrate to the Canadian people the immediate significance of this new departure in the nation's war effort.

As we said in these columns at the time, the Prime Minister's enunciation of the government's policy was a fitting sequel to the speech which Mr. Minister Power had delivered in the previous December—nearly a year ago—in which he had said: "We will organize manpower for the defence of our shores, so as not to be a liability to our friends and Allies, and so that there shall be no chink in the armor of the democratic front. We will organize manpower for the greater production of munitions and food so as to be an asset to our friends and Allies. We will organize our women to work in the arsenals, the shops and the factories." Our footnote to this pronouncement, coupled with Mr. Mackenzie King's statement of March 24, was that "only when Canada is using them (these manpower and womanpower resources) to their maximum proportions will she be able to say with pride that she is fighting a total war."

To argue that the resignation of Mr. Little, for the reasons he has given, will seriously disturb the public mind is to put it mildly. Even in the absence of the fuller explanatory announcement which Mr. Mitchell has promised, the development in itself has emphasized a new reason why Mr. Mackenzie King should consider, and consider without delay, a reorganization of his cabinet—and particularly of the inner cabinet, which is responsible for the administration of the nation's war effort in all its vital particulars.

We Must Keep Our Balance

MR. CHURCHILL TOLD THE BOYS OF his own school, Harrow, yesterday that "we are marching forward, stronger every month, with more knowledge, confidence and power." Mr. Roosevelt had just hailed United States successes in Africa and the South Pacific as an apparent "turning point of the war." Under-Secretary of State Sumner Wells also thinks "the clouds are lifting." And a general feeling of optimism now is manifest among the peoples of the United Nations.

All the Allied leaders nevertheless agree that much stiff fighting lies ahead, that we should not let the successes of the moment go to our heads, and that our best bulwark against future disappointments will be in our possession of the knowledge that we have not allowed complacency to weaken our resolve to work harder and willingly accept all the sacrifices which final victory will demand. Never let it be forgotten that the haughty spirit often precedes the fall. Surely we have had enough cruel lessons in the last three years to impress this truism on our minds.

Some commentators are beginning to assume, however, that triumph over the Axis is almost in sight. As Mr. Churchill told the boys at Harrow, "we are marching forward," but recent victories scored by the United Nations are only the first step to the mountain top on which victory will be found. Soon, perhaps, the military leaders on our side will be able to get a much closer view of Hitler's back door than seemed feasible a month ago. But let nobody suggest that

it will be merely child's play—after the whole of North Africa is in Allied hands—to hop across the Mediterranean, conquer the unenthusiastic Italians in a few weeks, march to Germany, squeeze the Nazis between the Russians and an Anglo-American second front, and plant the United Nations' standards in Berlin. Emphasis must be on the long-time feature. We would be foolish if we forget that the Italians, little as they seem to have heart for this war, still possess a substantial nuisance value once we land on their soil. We should remember, too, that Nazi defeats thus far have been far from home; that any military nation fights best when invaded; that just as Hitler's victories became thinner as his military lifeline extended, so when we become the invaders it will be our lifeline that stretches and his that tightens up.

On the other hand, of course, it can be legitimately argued that our difficulties will be diluted by the knowledge that our sources of supply will be ample for our needs, and that our presence on the enemy's soil will strengthen the will to victory incalculably. The point to be borne in mind, however, is that the more imposing our successes, the greater the necessity to drive them home with all the vigor that is left to us. The next armistice must be signed in Berlin, not in a French forest; the German government and German people must be made to realize how their gospel of "guns instead of butter" has worked out.

Mr. Hart Completes His Plan

EVERY BRITISH COLUMBIAN WILL applaud the Coalition government's decision to establish an independent purchasing commission which shall be completely free of the faintest suspicion of political influence. Although Mr. Hart's announcement to this effect yesterday caused little surprise, because more than a year ago he launched an investigation into the accountability system operating in the department of the Provincial Police, the public will welcome this further departure from methods which left loopholes for partisan favors. The independent inquiry which began several months ago, subsequent to a departmental investigation that uncovered various irregularities, led to the court actions of which the public already is well aware.

Not only will the commission direct and take full responsibility for the purchase of all government supplies, its personnel will comprise three high officials of the Civil Service, whose status, in one respect, will be similar to that of the Comptroller-General, in that it will be responsible to the Legislative Assembly and not to the government. This is precisely as it should be. The purchasing department is an agency of the public service which handles vast sums of the people's money. All its transactions obviously should be above question. It is to be noted, too, that the government proposes to strengthen and improve the audit system with the object of eradicating such weaknesses as may have existed both in the purchasing and accounting departments.

While no reform of any particular department of government, here or elsewhere, can be expected to produce miracles overnight, the decision which Mr. Hart and his colleagues have taken will go far to remove suspicion from the public mind in the matter of political preferences. So far the coalition experiment in British Columbia has worked well. Nobody suggests that each cabinet minister has completely forgotten, or thrown overboard, his own political philosophy; nor is the public interested in these fine points. What the taxpayer desires to be assured of, however, is the government's determination to meet the demands of these times of stress in a straightforward and realistic manner. Plugging the loopholes in the manner now provided for is good business.

The Final Act

REGARDLESS OF WHAT MARSHAL Pétain could or could not do under German domination at Vichy, he has now committed his final act in the selling out of France by giving his blessing to traitorous Pierre Laval's assumption of the position of Fascist dictator of the now politically-defunct Third French Republic. Nor is this all; this arch-defeatist has named the peasant-millionaire his heir-presumptive—whatever he may be worth—to replace Admiral Jean François Darlan, who, for the time being, at any rate, is not exposed to the fury of his countrymen.

Although this change in the imitation government at Vichy can make little difference to the over-all war picture, even though Laval's donning of the habiliments of the crooked cross may politically commit France to active military co-operation with the Germans, the emergence of this swarthy traitor as a new power in the land may well bring a reign of terror and fresh suffering for the people who are anxiously awaiting their deliverance. But if Laval should escape retribution at the hands of his persecuted compatriots, it is to be hoped his name will be high up on the list for suitable treatment after victory has been won.

Notes

R.A.F. trips over the Alps and back without loss are becoming commonplace.

Berlin says the Germans view the Allied occupation of French North Africa with "icy calm." Not a bad way to look at a freeze-out.

It is an old saw that "fine words butter no parsnips." If speeches could have settled Canada's manpower problem, the Ottawa government would not now be confronted with what has all the appearances of a deplorable situation.

Bruce Hutchison

TEETH

ON THE CREDIT SIDE of the balance in the war we can safely place the reduction in sugar and motoring. These are reforms long overdue.

All doctors and dentists tell me that the health of North America has been steadily undermined by an overconsumption of sugar. The teeth of North America now consist, to a very large extent, of gold or silver fillings, and these are due mostly to sugar. A test made among college students in California not long ago showed that those who ate a lot of sugar in various forms had bad teeth, while those who consumed little sugar practically needed no dental attention.

Before the war the care of teeth had become one of the largest industries on the Continent and few people could get along without dentists, if they could afford the price. If sugar rationing were continued for the next hundred years we might have as good teeth as the underprivileged Chinese, Hindus and the natives of Africa, who have never been able to afford dentists.

THE WALKER
MOTORING also has been one of the worst vices of America. The automobile can be a very great aid to civilization, used to explore new places, used to take people from cities to the country. But the automobile used to convey a man half a block down the street, an automobile used for every kind of short errand had robbed a large part of America before the war of the capacity to walk a couple of miles. It is an arresting thought that even in our day people actually had no automobiles in Victoria and thought nothing of walking to work from two miles' distance, and children frequently walked or cycled twice that distance to school. And yet today there are thousands of people about here who would consider a two mile walk sufficient exercise for a month; would consider it, in fact, a great hardship and an invitation to physical collapse.

But as motor rations decrease, as people have to walk, they will grow more healthy all the time. And as they walk and use less sugar we shall shortly produce a race of really healthy people about here; just as in Britain the simplified diet of the war has enormously improved the public health.

But there is nothing to suggest that we shall continue such sensible arrangements after the war. There is nothing to suggest that, as soon as sugar rationing stops, we shall not all make a dive for the sugar bin and come up, happy, with our teeth full of cavities. There is nothing to suggest that when we can get plenty of gasoline we shall not leap into our cars and drive them half way down the block to buy a package of cigarettes or over the cliffs of the Malahat just for the fun of speed. Indeed, there is a widespread belief that the true purpose of winning the war is to enable us to indulge ourselves once more in all the old luxuries that were bad for us. We are still not ready to discriminate between civilization and indulgence. We still are not ready for the advantages of the age we live in. We are still too primitive for the kind of society we have erected. However, this war may teach us something.

SPEED

IT IS TO BE NOTED certainly that people are driving their cars more slowly than they used to, but with a pained look on their faces as if a speed of 30 miles an hour were a very great hardship. Yet I can remember, when I bought my first car more than 20 years ago, a speed of 30 was considered very dangerous and the literature that came with the car warned the driver that if he would drive only 20 miles an hour the engine would last longer. Twenty-five was considered a very good speed in the country and 20 or less in town. Now most people feel they are under a terrible compulsion, by a cruel government, when they have to hold down to 30. And many don't.

Even today, with gasoline scarce and rubber scarce, the Saanich Road south of Royal Oak for two miles or so is a speedway though the legal limit is 30 miles. I have stood there lately and watched the cars going by at not less than 50 and some more than 50. It would be interesting, as a point of law, to know whether the law applies to service men, in government cars and in private cars and to public carriers. Certainly the boys in uniform worry little about the speed limit and, if they are on urgent duty, no doubt they must break it. But one of these days there is going to be a horrible accident along here and then, when it is too late, we shall find that somebody was simply in a hurry to get to town.

There is more to this than the mere speed limit and the safety of a few country yokels who have to walk on the side of the road. There is the whole question of law enforcement, and the danger of all law enforcement coming into disrepute. If one can break the speed law one gets the idea that other disagreeable laws also can be broken. And really it would hurt no one to go only 30 miles an hour in the zones clearly marked with this speed limit.

But it was hot of cars and sugar I intended to speak today. These alluring subjects draw one on. I meant only to argue that the war, by curtailing some of our vices, ought to show us better than any other lesson what has been wrong with our society in the past. Speeding and sugar are only small symptoms of a general disease, the disease of indulgence and luxury. We certainly should and can establish decent security for everyone after the war, but if we interpret that as meaning a general wave of increased luxury, more speed, more sugar, more of everything that is bad for us, we shall deserve whatever happens to us. And the loss of our teeth will not be the worst of it.

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



From a London Notebook

From a Correspondent LONDON.
The quality of a submarine's periscope largely determines the undersea boat's effectiveness as a warship. The Japs have a good one. It is a sad fact, London newspapers say, that all Japanese subs owe their ability to spot Allied ships to the skill of British optical experts. The periscope Britain developed through the years between the first World War and the present one was adopted by the Mikado's navy, which turned down periscopes developed by German scientists. Standard equipment includes three types, one for day work, another for night spotting and a third for sky searching.

Recently one syndicate of 20 wealthy horsebreeders paid \$62,000—(about \$248,000)—to guarantee that the prize stud horse Nearco would remain in Britain.

Britain's army is well prepared to meet the German gas threat. In action, a soldier carries not only his gas mask, but a rolled anti-gas cape to protect the whole body against blister gases. Also, armlets which disclose the presence of blister gas; anti-gas ointment which nullifies the effects of these gases; gas detector papers; cotton waste to remove the liquid from his skin, and antidote compound to keep the eye-pieces of his gas mask clear so that he can see to shoot under all conditions.

Doctors state it is the city brain worker who is suffering most from three years of war. The manual worker gets plenty of exercise in the open, even though his diet may not be excellent. Office workers, however, spend long hours in poorly ventilated and heated offices with no chance for normal exercise. They don't get the oxygen they require into their blood.

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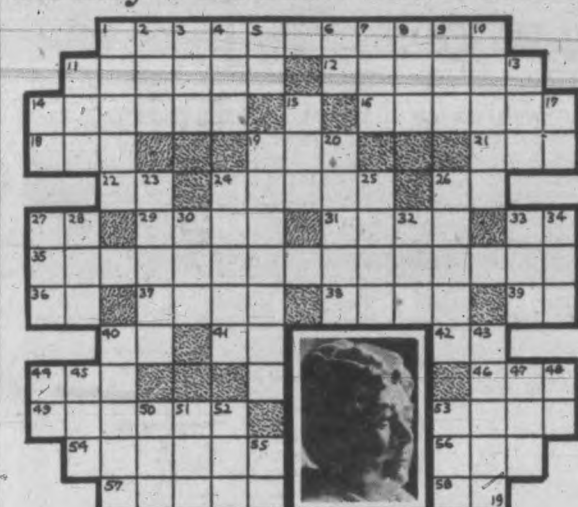
monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Three Services Canteen, held Tuesday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A. Mrs. J. W. Lennox, the president, was in the chair.

Tentative plans were made for Christmas entertainment at the canteen, which will include a

party for the men on Boxing Day.

The annual meeting of the auxiliary will be held on Jan. 17 and Mrs. Archibald Harris, Mrs. W. N. Sheffield, Mrs. J. Phethean, Mrs. J. W. Ruggles and Miss Olive Matier were named a committee to look after the nominations.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL

- 1 Depicted suffragist, Elizabeth
- 11 Number of successive events
- 12 Frightful
- 14 Mother or father
- 16 Crown
- 18 Fish
- 19 Oriental lute
- 21 One (Fr.)
- 22 Symbol for stibium
- 24 Having strong savor
- 26 Like
- 27 Area measure
- 29 Genus of maples
- 31 Titled nobleman
- 33 Tungsten (symbol)
- 35 She was a well-known (pl.)
- 36 Compass point
- 37 Golf term
- 38 Royal Italian family name

VERTICAL

- 1 First asteroid discovered (astron.)
- 2 Exist
- 3 Clangor
- 4 Still
- 5 Steamship (abbr.)
- 6 Exclamation
- 7 Slight bow
- 9 In three ways (comb. form)
- 9 English money of account
- 11 Sorrowful
- 13 Low haunt
- 14 3,1416
- 15 Head covering
- 17 Myself
- 19 Marks to shoot at
- 20 Narrow valley on the moon
- 23 Golf club
- 24 Withers
- 25 Accomplishes
- 26 Snake
- 27 Onager
- 28 European
- 30 Blood money
- 32 Rodent
- 33 Attempt
- 34 Employ
- 40 Sharp and harsh
- 43 Mature
- 44 Near
- 45 Narrow inlet
- 47 Important metal
- 48 Hay an em
- 50 Edible fern rootstock
- 51 Mongrel
- 52 East (Fr.)
- 53 Station (abbr.)
- 55 Exclamation

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Shaped like a dumb-bell, a metal and glass beverage mixer that can be operated with one hand has been invented by a Chicagoan.

Give Testimony On Signatures

Routine evidence on signatures was presented to the Assize Court Wednesday afternoon as the conspiracy to defraud trial of L. J. Simmons, former provincial police quartermaster, and George H. Hall, managing director of Hall & Co. Ltd., continued.

The hearing was adjourned at 4 with an objection from Stuart Henderson, counsel for Hall, that J. B. Clearhue, K.C., crown prosecutor with W. C. Moresby, K.C., was exceeding the limits set for him in presentation of evidence by John Harvey, deputy provincial comptroller-general. Henderson contended counsel was dealing with evidence of which he had given no notice.

Earlier Maurice Wilkinson, city detective, and John Lund, city constable, had identified prints of the two accused together with signatures on them.

H. B. MacLean, examiner of questioned documents, gave expert testimony on signatures on certain documents presented in court. The signature "L. J. Simmons" on a document purporting to be the voucher for 200 pairs of police breeches, was written by the person who wrote "L. J. Simmons" on the standard documents, he said.

Cecil Clark, provincial police inspector, stated Simmons was quartermaster in October, 1941, and identified his signature on an engagement form, on letters written by the former quartermaster and on other documents, including the voucher for the breeches.

He could give no positive evidence on the person authorized to make purchases for police stores. Replying to Stuart Henderson, Clark said 407 regular police officers were on the force last year as well as 41 specials and admitted they would need extra clothes and that consideration should have been taken over extra cloth in view of war conditions and scarcities arising from them.

U.B.C. Plans Medicine, Law, Pharmacy

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dean Daniel Buchanan, acting president of the University of British Columbia, in an address to members of the British Pharmaceutical Association Wednesday night, said a school of pharmacy and departments of law and medicine are under consideration for the university, but lack of space and funds were holding the projects up.

"We must provide well for departments already established before we move ahead," he said. "The campus is more crowded than ever because applied science graduates, in fact all graduates, are essential to the war effort."

Martinique is so named because Columbus discovered it on St. Martin's Day.



Say Fliers Interned

LONDON (AP)—The German-controlled Paris radio said today a United States plane made a forced landing on Portuguese ter-

ritory near the Spanish frontier and the crew was interned. It was disclosed in Lisbon Tuesday night that Portugal had made a diplomatic protest to Britain and the United States against the

passage of United Nations military planes over Portuguese territory recently.

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Col. James Mess Praises C.W.A.C.

OTTAWA (CP)—Col. James Mess, deputy adjutant-general, told a conference of Canadian Women's Army Corps staff officers Wednesday, that "the C.W.A.C. personnel is the best spoke in the recruiting wheel."

He commended the corps for the smartness and general bearing of its members, and added that he and his staff would do all in their power to "remove obstacles" and assist with recruiting.

Many phases of administration, organization and work connected with the corps were dealt with at the opening sessions of the three-day conference, presided over by Lt.-Col. Joan B. Kennedy of Victoria, director of the C.W.A.C.

Col. R. E. Smythe, director of organization, said the women were doing a "magnificent job," and stressed that more and more personnel were needed in Canada, for service in Washington and overseas. He spoke of plans

for a steady flow of personnel from Canada for service elsewhere. One of the more recent developments in the corps had been the training of 72 members who were serving in the provost corps.

Clubwomen to Hear Dr. Amyot Tuesday

Women's Canadian Club will meet in the Empress Hotel ballroom next Tuesday at 2.45, to hear Dr. G. F. Amyot, Provincial Health Officer, who has chosen as his subject "Health and War." This will embrace the numerous urgent public health problems that must be understood and solved by the people and their health departments.

Entertain Troops

The Y.M.C.A. Hut at Macaulay Point military camp was crowded Tuesday night when the Victoria Girls Drill Team gave a two-hour performance of marching, comedy turns and community singing. Numbers of the newly-formed glee club of the drill team were well received.

The effort of some members of the drill team when led in drills by the drill team leader, Miss Gladys Cook, brought thunderous applause.

Norman Foster, director of the team, was master of ceremonies.

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British Columbia members of the R.C.A.F. (Women's Division), Precision Squadron, are shown above, but the only Vancouver Island member, Elsie Maud Youd of Shawnigan Lake, did not get in the picture. She was probably too busy with her duties as a postal clerk. Left to right, front row: AW2 K. Mason, AW2 G. M. E. McMillan, both of Vancouver; AW2 V. L. M. Anderson, Nelson; AW2 Sgt. M. B. Lawrence, Kamloops; AW2 L. L. Hystead, Kimberley; AW2 M. Shuttleworth, AW2 F. E. McDonald, both of Vancouver. Back row: AW2 E. P. Holmes, Creston; AW2 E. J. Hamilton, Vernon; AW2 J. R. Bennett, Kelowna; AW2 J. W. McFadyen, Vancouver. The squad of 55 airwomen will arrive here next Wednesday morning at 7. At 11 they will be inspected by the Lieutenant-Governor outside the Parliament Buildings, and at 11.30 will be welcomed by Mayor McGavin and give a drill demonstration on Cormorant Street, between Douglas and Broad. They will also give a demonstration at 8.30 p.m. at the Bay Street Armories.

Social and Personal

Mrs. W. C. Woodward, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. A. L. Wilson of Cobourg, Ont., and her father, Mr. C. E. Wynn Johnson of Alkali Lake, B.C., and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor, visited the Provincial Museum Wednesday morning to view the recently opened exhibit of Indian portraiture. Mrs. M. V. Thornton, painter of the portraits, was presented to Mrs. Woodward, and explained many interesting points in connection with her work which is on display.

Pilot Officers Frank Hardman, Cameron Davis and M. W. Robinson of the New Zealand Air Force, who are spending a week in Vancouver, will leave Friday for this city.

Miss Alice Skellern, whose marriage to P.O. Harold Gardner will take place in Sydney, N.S., at the end of this month, left Victoria Wednesday for Vancouver to go by plane to Ottawa, where she will spend a few days before continuing her journey.

Mrs. Robert D. Sheret of 2177 Central Avenue, Oak Bay, has left for Vancouver to join her husband, Capt. R. D. Sheret, of the Canadian Dental Corps, and will reside at 4041 West 12th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

In honor of Miriam Marmelin and Dorothy Eustis, who appeared in recital Wednesday night, Mrs. E. W. Hetherington, president of the Victoria Musical Arts Society, which sponsored the recital, entertained at an informal luncheon party today at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. H. Gibson entertained at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Masters, 978 Bank Street, Wednesday evening at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Phyllis Hobbs, whose marriage to Mr. Leif Aune takes place shortly. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage bouquet of roses. Games were played and a buffet supper served. The guests were Mesdames S. M. Hobbs, A. Masters, G. Bannister, R. Attwell, W. Noon; Misses Phyllis Mugford and Anne Oldfield.

Complimentary to Miss Adeline D. Kalk, whose marriage to Mr. F. M. Sutton will take place Nov. 25, her cousin, Miss L. Milly, gave a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Fulthorp, 447 Kingston Street, Monday evening. The guest of honor was led to a table decorated with a doll dressed in pink and blue, under which were arranged many gifts. Yellow and white chrysanthemums throughout the room completed an effective color scheme of white and yellow. The evening was spent

with games, the winners being Mrs. L. Heth and Mrs. L. Tanton. Buffet supper was served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. A. Clarke, Mrs. T. Fulthorp, Miss H. Fraser and B. Fraser. Other guests were: Mesdames L. James, M. Taylor, M. Bennett, A. Fourace, R. Johnstone, M. Fraser, Kershaw, H. Dunning, E. Millar, E. Forrest, N. Hunter, M. Stuart, T. Robe, A. Chandler, M. Sneade, I. Morris, M. Young, A. Clarke, and the Misses M. Harris, L. Gilchrist, M. Simpson and Messrs. W. P. Ople, B. Kalk, T. Fulthorp, L. Heth and S. T. Hale.

Mrs. C. N. Westwood presided at the Anne Wilson meeting held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Cox, Joan Crescent. Mrs. Murray Anderson reviewed the chapter's study book. Mrs. H. E. Farquhar led the devotional period. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. N. Whitaker. Election of officers. Tea was served, with Mrs. J. Skellern presiding. Mrs. Murray Anderson and Mrs. D. L. Bowers were appointed to nominating committee.

A no-host tea at the Empress Hotel, arranged by Miss Barbara Sharpe, Wednesday afternoon honored Miss Vivian Curtis, whose marriage to Mr. David H. Sharpe will take place Saturday evening at 8. On behalf of the nine guests present, Miss Doreen Dopp presented the bride-to-be with a corsage bouquet of wine chrysanthemums and pink roses, together with a handsome rose-colored bedspread. The tea table was covered with a lace cloth and centred with a bowl of apricot chrysanthemums.

Cpl. Maquinn Daniels and Cpl. Joyce Dixon, both of the R.C.A.F. (W.D.), were entertained by Zeta Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Saturday afternoon at tea in Spencer's tea room. Mrs. T. Hammond, director, and Mrs. F. Rough, president, poured tea from a lace-covered table centred with a bowl of bronze chrysanthemums. Others present were: Misses Madeline Ward, Joyce Goggin, Frances Law, Muriel Knight, Barbara Dawson, Violet Poyser, Helen Porter, Margaret George, Joyce Fincher.

Miss Phyllis Cosco, whose marriage to Mr. Bevan Giles will take place this week, was guest of honor Tuesday evening at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. H. Calvert and her daughter, Dorcas, at their home on Shelbourne Street. The bride-to-be and the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. H. A. Giles, were presented with corsage bouquets of mauve and white chrysanthemums. The many useful gifts were contained in a turquoise and white basket, which was carried in by Miss Joy Cruickshank and Miss Phyllis Calvert. During the evening games were played, and prizes were won by Mesdames N. Peters, H. A. Giles and J. Cruickshank. A buffet supper was served from a table centred with a bowl of yellow and white chrysanthemums. Other guests included Mesdames A. M. Robertson, M. MacArthur, Peters, and Misses Ina Robertson, Nora Peters, Nettie Robertson and Miss Alice Mae Bell.

League Advocates Nursery Schools

VANCOUVER (CP)—A permanent system of day nursery schools, not only for wartime, but for the future time of peace to further the emancipation of women, is urged by the Housewives League of British Columbia.

At a meeting here Wednesday the league elected a committee of six to discuss the matter with the child division of the co-ordinating council of social agencies and governmental authorities.

Mrs. Lillian Newitt told the meeting that in a survey of an area approximately 10 square blocks she found more than 350 women who desired to work in war or civilian industries if they could find some method of caring for the pre-school-age children.

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Weddings

BALL—RICHARDS

Edna, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Richards, 550 Rithet Street, was united in marriage Wednesday evening to Stoker Raymond George Ball, R.C.N.V.R., only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Ball, Regina, Sask. Rev. J. C. Jackson of James Bay United Church performed the ceremony.

The bride was given away by her father, and wore a beige wool ensemble with brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of roses and violets. Matron of honor was Mrs. Robert McGregor, wearing blue with a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations, and Stoker Wakeland, R.C.N.V.R., supported the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards, assisted by Mrs. Ball, the bridegroom's mother, received about 40 guests who attended the wedding and reception. The bridal cake centred the candle-lit supper table, which was arranged with vases of bronze chrysanthemums.

Stoker and Mrs. Ball have taken up residence at 127 Menzies Street.

PETERS—MOBERG

The marriage was solemnized Saturday evening in the vestry of Christ Church Cathedral, when Very Rev. Dean Spencer Elliott united Doris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moberg, Helliker, Sask., and Cpl. Gordon Peters, R.C.A.F., Balcarres, Sask.

The bride was given away by Mr. Warren, a friend of the groom, formerly of Tientsin, China, and she wore a floor-length gown of blue sheer. A coronet of flowers held her blue veil, and she carried a bouquet of white and pink chrysanthemums and pink roses. Miss Marjorie Moulding, was the bride's only attendant, wearing a floor-length frock of yellow sheer with a matching tulle turban, and carried a spray of yellow and white chrysanthemums. Mr. Hans Myhre supported the groom.

A reception was held in the Dominion Hotel dining-room, where the three-tier wedding cake centred the supper table.

After a honeymoon on the mainland, Cpl. and Mrs. Peters will make their home at 147 Ontario Street. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clark and son Peter, formerly of Tientsin, China.

COLLIS—LOWDEN

Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn officiated at the marriage Wednesday evening at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, between Yvonne Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lowden, St. Patrick Street, and LAC Arthur W. Collis, R.A.F., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Collis, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, Eng.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and wore a white floor-length gown fashioned with a lace bodice, full sheer skirt and bishop sleeves. A coronet of orange blossom held her veil of fine net, and she carried a bouquet of pink chrysanthemums with sprays of white heather. Miss Mary Worsley was bridesmaid, wearing a gown of pale pink sheer over taffeta, with a headpiece of pink tulle, and carried a bouquet of pastel-shaded chrysanthemums. LAC Neville Trent, R.A.F., supported the groom.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, after which the couple left for a honeymoon on the mainland. For traveling the bride wore a frock of powder blue bunny wool with navy accessories; a fur coat and a corsage bouquet of red roses.



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buds. LAC and Mrs. Collis will make their home temporarily at 1405 St. Patrick Street, but hope, eventually, to reside in Norfolk, where the bridegroom is a member of the staff of Lloyd's Bank.

Clubwomen's News

First United Young People met Tuesday. The meeting was opened by President Margaret Walker, who gave a brief talk about the Victoria and Lower Island Young People's Rally, of which a First United member, Harold Thayer, has been elected president. Miss Willows showed interesting films which she took on her trip around the world. Meeting next week will be a skating party at the Willows.

Women's Benefit Association met in the S.O.E. Hall Monday evening, the president, Mrs. Stephen, in the chair. Mrs. Mattison, convener of the bazaar, reported the sum of \$236 was realized. Baby woolsies and fancy work left from the bazaar will be sold early in December at the public market, with Mrs. Baillies assisting Mrs. Mattison. It was decided to hold a Christmas party for children of the members on the afternoon of Dec. 21, with Mrs. Ritchie, convener, assisted by Mrs. Schmelz and Mrs. Addison. A Christmas party for the members will be held in the evening of the same day, each member to bring a gift for another member, not exceeding 25c in value. Mrs. Henson, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Davis were named a committee on resolutions. The following donations were made: \$40 to the Red Cross, with an additional \$25 to be used for the Prisoners of War Fund; \$25 to the Children's Aid; \$25, Salvation Army; \$20, merchant marine; \$25, Lord Mayor's Fund; \$25, air raid shelters, and \$25 to the Queen Alexandra Solarium. The pioneer

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president, Mrs. Dresser, stated the next meeting will be held Nov. 27, at the home of Mrs. S. McNeill, 2603 Fawcett Apts., Douglas Street.

The Major John Hebdon Gillespie Chapter I.O.O.F. met at the home of Mrs. J. D. Horne, Heywood Avenue, on Tuesday evening, the regent, Mrs. Peter Bell, presiding. Mrs. R. L. Green reported that a club shipment of 100 pounds of woollens had been sent to Fairfield and Sons, Winnipeg, to be made into blankets.

The war convener reported that for the month 14 articles to the value of \$11.55 and 10 ditty bags had been turned into municipal. The film convener called the attention of the meeting to the showing of two films, "Churchill's Island" and "A.R.P. Work in London," by Edwardson of the St. John Ambulance Corps at the headquarters Friday, Nov. 27, the silver collection to be donated to the Prisoners of War Fund. Mrs. J. S. Cull volunteered to act as convener for work in India. Mrs. Neil M. McNeill was installed as a new member. The chapter welcomed Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, acting municipal regent, who gave a report on the semi-annual provincial meeting and the Order of the Kitty Hawk Fighter to the R.C.A.F. On behalf of the chapter, Mrs. R. L. Green moved a very hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Phipps, after which refreshments were served.

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Esquimalt United Y.P.S. met Wednesday evening with Marjorie Pready presiding. At the conclusion of a short business meeting, Stan North, culture convenor, gave a talk on "The Lives of Writers of Hymns." The singing this Sunday will be at the home of Isobel Kearney. A social night has been arranged for next week.

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C.G.I.T. Notes
City-wide C.G.I.T. conference will be held on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 21 and 22, at the First Baptist Church. Delegates of two girls from each church and all leaders are asked to attend on Saturday. The afternoon program will open at 2 o'clock, and will include a sing-song, games, and discussion under the leadership of Miss Kay Smith, girls' work secretary for B.C. Supper will be served at a nominal charge.
In the evening, plans will be made for the forming of a girls' council, under the direction of Miss Helen McKinnon, and the leaders will discuss their problems with Miss Smith. On Sunday evening, a special service will be held at the First Baptist Church when Rev. G. K. Reynolds will preach. All girls and leaders of the city will attend in uniform.

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Groups Endorse I.O.D.E. Plea For Sunday Movies for Forces

TORONTO—Copies of the I.O.D.E. resolution favoring the opening of moving picture theatres to provide free entertainment to uniformed men and women in crowded Canadian centres are being sent to Hon. Maj. Gen. L. R. LaFleche, Minister of National War Services; Col. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence, and his two associate ministers, Hon. C. J. Power and Hon. Angus Macdonald, for their information.
Release of the full text of the I.O.D.E. resolution, passed by the national executive, clarified misunderstandings which arose when an abbreviated "announcement" was first made public. The resolution, which was today sent to the film conveners of provincial chapters of the I.O.D.E. reads: "Whereas the welfare of the fighting forces is our first con-

cern, and whereas the lack of facilities for the care and entertainment of such men and women on Sundays is very evidently causing countless numbers to have to wander the streets aimlessly with results detrimental to personnel and the war effort, and whereas conditions have developed to make immediate action imperative, be it recommended to the National Executive Committee that as a wartime measure only, theatres in certain Canadian cities be opened on Sundays to men and women in uniform and the merchant marine, subject to certain arrangements being made with authorities in the various provinces."

LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE
The national president and the national film convenor pointed out that there is no need to change any existing provincial or federal laws to open moving picture theatres in Canada, provided no admission fee is charged. The order has been assured by the Lord's Day Alliance that if certain restrictions are maintained, and the high value of Canadian Sunday is preserved, there is no law forbidding the showing of movies on Sunday.

It was emphasized that only uniformed men and women and men of the merchant marine would be admitted to the theatres opened, and that the hours for the showing of moving pictures would not conflict with the established hours of church services. The motion picture industry has assured the I.O.D.E. that they would not only provide the latest and best moving pictures for the entertainment of the troops, but they will assume all costs of operators, doormen, ushers, etc.

In several Canadian centres strong local organizations and church groups have endorsed the stand of the I.O.D.E. and have expressed an understanding of the project to provide wholesome entertainment for the troops. A letter from the chairman of the executive committee of the Citizens Committee for Troops in Training, M.D. No. 2, reads: "The committee is definitely of the opinion that moving picture productions of a high standard given in downtown theatres each Sunday afternoon would be most valuable in keeping our men in uniform off the streets of Toronto."

The executive of the Active Service Canteen in Toronto wrote: "We would like to go on record as being in complete sympathy with the efforts of the I.O.D.E. in this regard. After three years of experience in running the Active Service Canteen we should like to stress the great need for entertainment being provided for the thousands of lonely men who roam the streets on Sunday."

The Dominion Secretary of the Canadian Corps Association writes: "I am instructed to write to you on behalf of the Canadian Corps Association heartily endorsing the plan proposed by the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire to open certain of the moving picture theatres on Sunday, for the entertainment of men and women of the Armed Services and the Merchant Marine."

Several senior officers of military districts have been interviewed by officers of the I.O.D.E. and have expressed their approval of the project. Provincial I.O.D.E. film conveners will talk with other officers commanding military districts and obtain their views. Ministerial groups are also being informed of the plan.

Dawes; tea, Mrs. D. Ree. Mrs. T. Bourne assisted Mrs. Jarvis in receiving the guests. Tea was served from tables arranged with vases of pink and mauve chrysanthemums, and there was teacup reading.

CHURCH OF OUR LORD
Over \$100 was raised by the W.A. to the Church of Our Lord at the bazaar held in Crigge Memorial Hall Wednesday. Miss A. J. Fawcett, president, was assisted by Mrs. E. Bird in welcoming the guests.

Tea arrangements were under the supervision of Mrs. A. Tobin, assisted by Mesdames W. G. Monaghan, A. Estley, L. Wheelton, R. Macgregor, and Miss Molly Appleyard. Mrs. Shirley was in charge of the contest.

VICTORIA WEST CHURCH
More than \$200 was realized as a result of the successful sale of work held Wednesday afternoon in the church schoolroom. Rev. J. C. Jackson welcomed those present and introduced Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., for formally opening the bazaar.

At the close of her brief address, Mrs. Hodges was presented with a corsage bouquet of yellow roses by Mrs. Frank Rees, the president of the W.A., who acted as general convenor.

In charge of the prettily decorated stalls were: Mrs. J. Salisbury and Miss M. Beattie, plain sewing; Mrs. J. Hunter and Miss F. Beattie, fancywork; Mrs. J. McGillivray and Mrs. Frank Jenkins, home cooking.

The Monteith Club served tea at tables centred with flowers. Supper was served by Mrs. Frank Rees, Mrs. Frank Jenkins, Mrs. J. McGillivray, Mrs. William Caley, Mrs. Harry Watson, Mrs. A. Hiqubran, Mrs. E. Miner and Mrs. G. M. Newell.

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS P.T.A.
Sir James Douglas P.T.A. held a successful bazaar Wednesday afternoon, netting in the neighborhood of \$300 for the funds. The booths were beautifully decorated in gay colors, and the stage was banked with ferns and autumn flowers. Mrs. W. H. Yardley, president, introduced Mrs. W. H. Wilson, wife of the principal, who formally opened the affair. Mrs. Emmerson Smith, general convenor, was presented with a beautiful bouquet.

Business was brisk at the various stalls. Refreshments were served by the older girls of the school, who looked smart and efficient in their dainty aprons and caps. At the door of the "dog house" was to be seen a line-up of boys and girls, waiting their turn for the ever-popular "hot-dog." The fish pond was well patronized, and the picture show much enjoyed.

On Nov. 28 the P.T.A. will hold a dance.

Clubwomen's News

The Past Noble Grande Club will meet at Mrs. A. McCabe's, 1814 Lullie Street, at 8, Friday.

St. Luke's W.A., Cedar Hill, will meet Thursday at 2.30 in the Parish Hall.
R.C.O.C. Women's Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Putt, 627 Grenville Street, Friday at 2.30.

St. John's W.A. met in school auditorium Tuesday. Mrs. H. Goodwin, president, was in the chair. Rev. G. Biddle gave an address on the church after the war. Miss Mott of Cathedral Branch showed slides on mission work in Canada. Miss Cox was the commentator. Members of Cathedral, St. Mary's and Girls' A were guests. Mrs. Laughlin of the Cathedral and Mrs. Shepherd from St. Mary's thanked St. John's for their hospitality. Refreshments were served.

W.A. of Centennial United Church met in the Sunday schoolroom Tuesday afternoon, the president, Mrs. W. McCague, in the chair. Mrs. Corry announced a concert and sketch the Busy Bees' Circle were putting on Friday at 8. Plans were made for the calendar tea Friday, Dec. 4. Mrs. J. Cox and Mrs. M. McIvor are in charge. The "Imaginary Anniversary Dinner" proved a great success, the sum of \$73 being taken, which will help the church fund.

A sale of work was held in the Parish Hall Saturday afternoon by St. Luke's W.A., Cedar Hill. The sale was declared open by Mrs. F. J. Brimer, diocesan president of the W.A., who also spoke of the need of interesting more churchwomen in the work of the missionary society, stating that the 1943 program was to include a Dominion-wide campaign for new members. The hall and tea tables were prettily decorated with a profusion of autumn flowers and leaves. The various stalls were under the convener-

ship of the following: Anrons and fancywork, Mrs. Kingsbury and Mrs. Watkiss, assisted by Mrs. Edmonds; home cooking, Mrs. Lytton and Mrs. Welchman; flowers and plants, Mrs. Maddock and Mrs. Tattersall; superfluities and girls' W.A. work stall, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Jenkins. Tea was served by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Eldsforth and Mrs. Price handled the sale of tea tickets. The sum of \$109 was realized.

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Many Sales of Work Wednesday Aid Various Causes
Many bazaars were held throughout the city Wednesday afternoon, church work, various war efforts and philanthropic undertakings receiving a fillip as the result of the money raised through this ever-popular medium.
MONTEREY P.T.A. BAZAAR
The sum of \$140 was realized for the cigarette fund of the Monterey School as a result of the fall bazaar and bridge held by Monterey P.T.A. Wednesday in Oak Bay Theatre Hall. Mrs. Hew Paterson, wife of the chairman of the Oak Bay School Board, opened the affair. Mrs. W. V. Bell (E 2508) will receive names for completing the list for sending cigarettes to former students serving overseas. Mrs. J. H. Fulton, convenor, and Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, president, received the guests.
Bridge and refreshments were convened by Mrs. Thomas Lumsden, while Mr. Percy George drew the bridge prize winners, Mrs. J. M. Smith and Miss Audrey Bland. Miss Isabel Harper and Mr. Larry Harper helped with the fish pond, and Rose, Patricia and Garth Jones helped with the contests.
LODGE BAZAAR
Mrs. J. Lennox opened the successful bazaar held by Lodge No. 83, Daughters of St. George, Wednesday in S.O.E. Hall. The president, Mrs. E. Lomas, presented her with pink carnations and chrysanthemums. Mrs. John Hart was a special guest. Mrs. Lomas, Mrs. Galger and six of the oldest lodge members received corsage bouquets of red and white carnations.
A gratifying sum was raised and will be put to good use entertaining for the troops and supporting with donations to the Solarium, and always at Christmas time the Salvation Army. In the evening the members had as special guests to the dance 70 members of the forces.
The stalls did a rapid business in charge of the following: Home cooking, Mrs. M. Haines, Mrs. S. Murray; fancywork, Mrs. N. Muckle, Mrs. M. Harris; aprons, Mrs. J. Hodnett, Mrs. Muriel Smith; chicken dinner, Mrs. M. Gurney, Mrs. A. Harris; games and contests, Mesdames A. Bell, J. Penketh, J. Brien, A. Hooper, E. Lomas; tea arrangements, Mesdames K. Galger, V. Greenwood, C. Fairservice; white elephant, Mrs. B. Haut.
BRITANNIA BRANCH
A successful silver tea and sale of work of the W.A. the the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, was opened at 2.30 Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. F. C. Mortimer, honorary president, who was presented with a dainty corsage bouquet by Mrs. H. Jarvis, president of the auxiliary.
The attractive stalls did a good business, and included home cooking, in charge of Mrs. D. Swan; fancywork, Mrs. D. Shubbrook; novelties, Mrs. R. Hudson; bingo, Mrs. L. Thompson; contests, Mrs. A. Jones; tea, tickets, Mrs. R.

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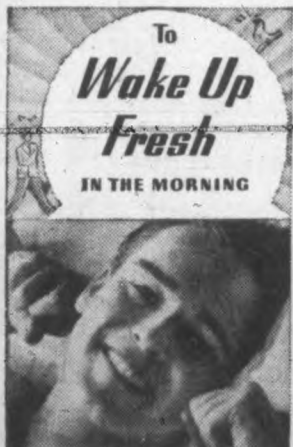
QUAKER OATS

All Butter Stocks Must Be Reduced, Says Prices Board

OTTAWA (CP) — The Prices Board today ordered that all stocks of butter held in storage must be reduced by the end of the month by 25 per cent from stocks held at the Nov. 1 level, and at the same time Foods Administrator J. C. Taggart said there would be no coupon rationing of butter during the current season of low production.

The order, designed to meet what the board described as current but "spotty" production shortages, will place on the market within the month about 11,000,000 pounds of butter — or about half a normal month's consumption.

Mr. Taggart said Canadians need curtail their current consumption of butter by only one



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ounce per person per week to meet a temporary shortage during the period of "deficiency" production—November to April.

NO RATION COUPONS

"The situation simply does not call for such a difficult, costly and intricate operation as coupon rationing," he added.

"There are about half a million sources, or potential sources, of butter supply in Canada—in fact, every farmer who milks a cow is a potential supplier—and to apply coupon rationing in such circumstances would entail tremendous operation cost and great inconvenience, not alone to producers and potential suppliers, but to consumers generally.

"Accordingly the board is taking steps which, together with a slight reduction by individual consumers, equivalent to two tablespoons of butter per person per week, can and will meet the situation if consumers co-operate, as we expect they will."

There is temporarily a small shortage in supply of butter in certain of the larger markets, and as a result some retailers are limiting purchases in their establishments.

A previous board order stipulated that stocks of butter held in storage warehouses and creameries at Nov. 30 must be limited to 75 per cent of the amount held at the same date last year.

Powell River Man Gets Flying Cross; Sank 4 Nazi Ships

LONDON (CP) — The air ministry today announced the distinguished Flying Cross has been awarded to pilot officer Harry Donkersley of Powell River, B.C., for sinking four enemy merchant ships and damaging a tanker in the Mediterranean.

The citation said: "One night in October he attacked a tanker, inflicting severe damage. A few nights later he located and attacked a convoy of merchant ships escorted by several destroyers. After making an attack he returned to his base and made a second attack.

"Early next morning reconnaissance aircraft carried out a search over a wide area in the vicinity of the attack and observed three enemy ships missing.

"Some nights later Donkersley attacked one of two ships escorted by destroyers, setting a vessel on fire. Later it was learned the vessel had sunk.

"The success which attended his efforts deprived the enemy of much fuel so vital to the Battle of Africa."

Nearly 7,000,000 tons of steel were used in manufacturing automobiles during 1940.

'Like Half Victoria' In Washington; Our Girls Get Priority On Dates

By KAY MCINTYRE
Victoria Times Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Thinking of taking a Washington job, Victoria girl? Well, don't if you dislike crowds, have flat feet or object to eating off the same plate with total strangers. But do come, Victoria girl, come by all means if you like an atmosphere that bristles with foreign emissaries, sports clothes and the warm sunshine of America's southland.

If you do decide to join the throng you'll follow several hundred Canadian girls already employed with the British Ministry of Supply and various British legations. And you'll find many a Victoria girl already working in Washington.

HOUSING WORRIES

"Half Victoria seems to be in Washington," Ella Monk, daughter of Col. and Mrs. T. B. Monk, 1357 Yale Street, told me. A new arrival herself, she had already bumped into many an acquaintance from her home town. Among them were Maggie Stewart, formerly with the B.C. Electric; Esme Gilmour and Ethel Savage, and she was looking forward to greeting Bette Hughes.

The conversation turned to housing, as it has a habit of doing in Washington.

"Yes, housing is a problem all right," Ella said. "It's bad now and it's going to be worse."

More fortunate that many a newcomer she went to live with a cousin already established in an apartment on 16th Street, only a short distance from her job, which is in the personnel office of the supply ministry.

HOW THEY POUR IN

Just why it is so hard to get a place may be the question of the Victorian intent on going to work in the U.S. capital. Here is the explanation in official figures:

In one month recently 8,357 persons came to Washington, an average of 270 a day. Of these close to 2,500 alone were U.S. stenographers which federal agencies in the capital are employing each and every month. A New York columnist suggested this hurry-up test for government stenographers. "The applicant is taken into a room where there are three objects—a washing machine, a typewriter

and a machine gun. If she can pick out the typewriter, she's hired."

PARASITES NOT WANTED

But we were talking of official figures. Besides the 2,500 American girls, it is estimated at least another 1,000 persons a month came to stay and to work in the Washington wonderland. Where they all slept nobody knows.

President Roosevelt has on more than one occasion looked into the housing situation and has created plenty of discussion by suggesting conditions would improve if all "parasites would leave town." Not long ago, too, Mrs. Roosevelt with wives of officials issued a statement promising something must be done. Well, something has been done, all right.

RESTRICTIONS EASED

First, regulations were relaxed in restricted residential areas to allow home-owners to take in roomers and in many cases these residents have had persons billeted with them. Also in the park areas huge dormitories are being erected as well as the 4,500 demountable houses provided for under a recent housing bill. Latest suggestion is to build floating houses in the Washington channel, one of which moored to a pier has already been completed.

More precious even than rooms or board and lodging are apartments and should the occupants of one of the latter decide to move there's always a long list of friends falling over each other to sublet the place. By a combination of luck and perseverance, however, most Victoria girls seem to eventually find apartments that suit them.

FROM LANDLADIES TO LUXURY

Take the case of Doreen Swaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swaine, Admirals Rd., and Mrs. Diana Royce, whose husband is overseas, and whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Osborne, former Victorians, live at Ladysmith. The former, a member of the C.W.A.C., is on duty at the Canadian legation annex and the latter is a secretary at the Australian mission. Teaming together their first months saw them move through a series of furnished rooms, one replete

with bedbugs and of boarding houses where the landladies' main idea seemed to be getting rich quickly by charging high fees and serving small portions at meal-time.

THEN THEY GOT MAD

They registered at every apartment house they passed as they went their way about the city.

"We put our names on the waiting list of so many," said Diana, "we lost track of them."

Their perseverance paid dividends. They are now living in the luxurious Stoneleigh, a few blocks from their offices and within walking distance of the downtown district.

LIKE IT NOW

"Those first months weren't so good," Diana admitted. "But now I wouldn't leave, unless it were to go overseas."

Doreen is right at home, too, save for the fact she can't get used to seeing so many Negroes on the streets, and the accompanying accents. Incidentally, Washington is known as the colored man's heaven. Close to a third of the population is Negro and the restrictions regarding them aren't as severe as in the deeper south.

Miriam and Frances Biggin, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Biggin, Cranmore Rd., found their way to the capital before the U.S. entered the war and before housing became the headache it is today. They have been living in their smart, spacious apartment in the Alban Towers atop Massachusetts Avenue for more than a year now. It is within walking distance of the British Embassy where Miriam is secretary to the military attaché, although Frances, who like her sister came to the capital after working for the Dominion government at Ottawa,

They'll Do It Every Time



tawa, has a bit farther to go to her job down at the Australian mission.

INFORMALITY AT PARTIES

But once over the housing situation, and Victoria and other Canadian girls settle down to enjoy life in the crowded capital. They have a priority on dates. For although there are supposed to be 10 girls in Washington for every man they aren't worried about the situation. Their phones ring all the time and the calls come from lads at the military academies and forts in Virginia, just a stone's throw over the

Potomac and at the nearby naval stations at Annapolis and Anticost.

Informality is the keynote and for the most part even dinner-dancing at the swank Shoreham and Mayflower, evening dresses have been discarded in favor of suits and sports dresses.

In fact, suits, sports dresses along with a collection of sweaters and skirts make up their wardrobe. Winter temperatures seldom drop below 60 and heavy coats have been cast aside along with formal dresses. So for the most part have hats, for it's the

rule rather than the exception to trek to work bare-headed.

"C'est la guerre," chorus the Canadians, and add, "besides we save money this way."

Finds Plane Propeller

WOODSTOCK, Ont. (CP)—Alfred Albright, Dereham Township farmer, hopes the pilot got back safely. Walking through his orchard, Albright found an airplane propeller which apparently had fallen off a passing plane.

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- ALPACA SLACKS in well-tailored styles and in a range of practical colors. **2.98**
- MAN-TAILORED SHIRTS of sturdy cotton shirtings in a choice of striped patterns or plain colors. **1.00 and 2.00**
- PULLOVER SWEATERS for extra warmth under your coveralls. Crew and V-necks in botany wools. **2.98**
- PRINTED COTTON KEROCHIES to tuck your hair neatly under. Generous size and easily laundered. **98c**
- WOOL ANKLE SOCKS in the proper weight for your work shoes. Full range of serviceable colors. **59c**
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RED RIVER CEREAL, a delicious hot cereal for these cooler mornings, 3-lb. pk.		17c
BRAN FLAKES, POST'S, serve with fruit, milk or cream, 4-oz. pk.		10c
FLUID BEEF, JOHNSON'S, beef extract with 30% beef, 1-lb. can.		1.05
SPARKLING ORANGE JUICE, KNOX'S, for jellied meats and desserts, 1-lb. can.		18c
ASSORTED SANDWICH SPREAD, HEDLUND'S, makes a tasty meat sandwich. This	3 for	25c
VIOLET SOUP, AYLMER, for a nourishing and beautiful lunch, 14-oz. can.	3 for	25c
CUT MIXED PEEL, WAGSTAFF'S, lemons, grapefruit, oranges and citron, 1-lb. pk.		25c
KETCHUP, HEINZ, adds pep and zest to your meats and fish, 14-oz. bottle.		19c
GRAPE JUICE, WELCH'S, pure juice of ripe grapes, 22-oz. bottle.		49c
CONTINENTAL NOODLE SOUP MIX, LIPTON'S, serves four; cooks in seven minutes.	2 pkts.	23c
SOAP, OXYDOL, rich thick speedy suds for washer or tub, 4-oz. pk.		24c
SOAP FLAKES, IVORY, safe washing for silks and woolsens. Large pk.		23c
SOAP, FELS NAPHTHA, extra soapiness for that extra dirt.	4 cakes	26c
TOILET SOAP, LIFEBOUY, for a refreshing bath.	4 cakes	22c
TOILET SOAP, ODEK, refreshing antiseptic lather.	4 cakes	21c
DOG MASH, B and K, moisten with gravy or vegetable stock, 5-lb. bag.		25c
GRO-PUP, KELLOGG'S, for grown dogs and puppies, 2-lb. pk.		23c
FLOUR, ROBIN HOOD, all-purpose flour, 24-lb. sack.		90c

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Box, 2.45		
WINTER BANANA.	6 lb.	25c
Box, 1.55		
APPLES, MCINTOSH.	5 lb.	23c
Box, 1.59		
GRAPEFRUIT TEXAS.	4 lb.	23c
ORANGES SUNKIST.	4 lb.	45c
LEMONS SUNKIST.	4 lb.	33c

Carry and Save

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

MEMORIES of Victoria hockey of 1929 were revived with the visit to Victoria last week of Joe Smith, former manager of the Victoria Cubs in old Pacific Coast Hockey League. Fans will remember the Cubs as the successors to the Cougars after the Patricks disposed of the Western Canada Hockey Association teams' lock, stock and barrel to eastern interests. Joe, who had experienced success with amateur clubs in Vancouver, came to Victoria to handle the Cubs but only stuck it out in the pro job for one season.

Smith is now located in a naval job in San Francisco. He was the veteran of the United States navy in the last war. His visit here was the occasion of a family reunion—his wife coming from Toronto and his son, John Smith, who is with the United States navy, flew here to be with his parents. Another son, Cecil, is in New Mexico with the U.S. air force. After leaving Victoria the Smiths went to Hollywood, then to Cannes, in France, where they lived for three years, getting out just before the outbreak of war.

It certainly is strange to look at the major hockey standings and see the New York Rangers resting in last place. How the mighty have fallen! Looking at the goal averages we note where the Rangers have scored 26 goals and had the large number of 44 scored against in only seven, or better than six per contest. This makes us wonder just how long Steven Rudolph Buzinski is going to remain between the pipes for the blue shirts.

This little fellow, who would have to carry lead in each hand to weigh more than 140 pounds, appears one of the most forlorn figures to come up in big time hockey in many years. For 16 years, the Rangers have been a name to conjure with in the glistening game. Lester Patrick is considered the smartest man in the game, and when he bobbed up with Buzinski as the successor to Sugar Jim Henry, everyone suspected he would have another ace to show them. Hadn't the Rangers had such illustrious

netkeepers as Lorne Chabot, John Ross Roach and Davey Kerr?

But Buzinski has been a distinct disappointment except on two appearances at home when he beat Canadiens and Chicago, both in overtime. By now the boys around the circuit must be calling him "Sieve" instead of Steve. But Patrick has not given up yet.

"You forget the great Charley Gardiner when he first came up," said Patrick. "Gardiner resembled a sieve in early appearances. He was relieved several times before settling down to be one of the best of all time. Johnny Mowers of Detroit is rated highly today, but only last season the Rangers beat him, 11 to 2."

During training, Buzinski was like a cat at the net. He has a fine pair of hands, moves rapidly and has excellent reflexes. He has confidence in himself. Even after those terrific defeats—29 goals were scored on him in three games for a new modern high—he was certain he could deliver.

Speaking of systems for beating the ponies, this one originated years ago on a swirling Long Island train. The conductor, manoeuvring to punch Bob Rochon's ticket, missed it, and punched a hole in the newspaper he was reading instead. The practice has been going on ever since. The train is barely out of the wilds of Merrick when the conductor punches Rochon's ticket and newspaper.

All this time Rochon has waited for the punch to hit a number or the name of a horse. He couldn't wait until he got to his office when it happened the other morning. Yes, sir! There was the hole. Smack dab through the name of Woodsman in the fifth at Sportsman's Park at Chicago. Rochon, who has been listening to office touts longer than he cares to remember, gave the hole to everybody in the place, but would not reveal the source of his information.

Woodsman came down in front at \$16.80. There is one less bookie to annoy Butch LaGuardia.

He was struck by a Long Island train.

Ryan Defends R.C.A.F.

Rugby Union to Blame

By CHARLES EDWARDS
TORONTO (CP)—In all the controversy over the R.C.A.F. ruling no air force football team may play after Dec. 1 and consequent dereliction of the Grey Cup championship special, one familiar voice has been missing—that of Joe Ryan, long-time manager of Winnipeg Blue Bombers now employed at Ottawa.

But football is in Joe's blood and he dropped in on Bill (Ottawa Journal) Westwick with the comment: "It is a great shame that the air force must be indicted at this stage after a contribution to sport in general which seems forgotten by some writers in the heat of an argument centring solely around a final. I know that out in Winnipeg the R.C.A.F. has been most co-operative in helping keep the game alive."

"I have an idea that if Canadian Rugby Union officials had dropped down to Ottawa and discussed the situation all this controversy might have been avoided. I say that it might have been avoided satisfactorily even at this stage. . . . It seems to me there has been a misunderstanding leading to the decision made by R.C.A.F. authorities."

DOUBLE ACHE

Goalie Jim Henry of Ottawa Commandos was suffering with a severe toothache when Commandos beat Montreal Royals 9 to 1 in the Quebec Senior Hockey League last Saturday. Young Jean Paul Renaud, Royals' goalkeeper, observed: "A toothache at one end of the rink and a headache at the other."

Bill (Niagara Falls Review) Gaynon says Annis Stukus' feat in scoring all Toronto Oakwoods points as they beat the mighty Toronto Hurricanes 15 to 6 in the Ontario Rugby Football Union should be considered when the experts vote on the year's greatest individual sport performance. "But so often surroundings determine such questions, only members of championship teams being considered. . . . It's a safe guess the Stukus accomplishment will be sidetracked."

LEAF SIGN AMATEUR

TORONTO (CP)—Signing of 18-year-old Jack Ingoldsby, right-winger, by Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League was announced Wednesday by coach Clarence (Happy) Day. Ingoldsby, a Toronto boy, played with De La Salle Juniors here last season, and this season was slated to play with Marlboro Juniors.

Player Slicing Would Change Hockey Style

By HUGH FULLERTON
NEW YORK AP—National Hockey League officials are talking (one of the best things they do) about reducing the player limit to 13 men. This is important mainly because hockey is the first sport to feel the real wallop of the war. What happens to it now may happen to the others later.

The change may or may not equalize the strength of the teams, as Art Ross claims, but it surely would cause some changes in the way they play the game. The managers could either reduce their defence strength, keep three forward lines in action and go in for heavy scoring, or they could cut out the third line and return to the slower game of a decade ago, when a hockey team was 12 men. Come to think of it, the Bruins have done all right with only 13 men in their last few games. Can you imagine the effect if other sports start cutting football squads two deep, 16-man baseball squads, etc. But it's the one way of spreading out the available manpower.

ATHLETE DRAWS AWARD

Although bowl talk is taboo at Boston College, word is that the B.C. Seniors would prefer the Orange Bowl to the sugar ditto because they've visited New Orleans three times but never have seen Miami. . . . Eboher Wrona, Michigan's woman's speed skating champion, recently was awarded a \$1,000 war bond by the Saginaw, Mich. defence plant where she works, for figuring out how to save 470 man-hours a month in manufacturing machine guns. . . . Still cutting the corners close, eh? . . . Pete Reiser, the Dodgers' outfielder, is undergoing treatment in St. Louis for the after-effects of that bump on the head he got last summer. . . . Jim Hendy and Clem White, hockey drumbeaters at Madison Square Garden, have donated the "Hendy-White trophy"—a large black comb—to be awarded the player who finishes the season with his hair least disarranged.

A workout of the V.M.D. football team will be held at the Sports Centre this evening at 7. All players are asked to turn out.

Rangers Win in Overtime



"Steve" Buzinski gets down on the ice to stop a shot by a Chicago Black Hawk as New York Rangers win in overtime, 5 to 3, at Madison Square Garden. Ott Heller is about to swat the puck out of the danger zone. Aud Tuttle (2) and Max Bentley (18) are charging Hawks. Behind Tuttle is Alfie Pike of the Rangers.

Keating Elected President of Lawn Bowlers

J. T. Keating was elected president of the Victoria Lawn Bowling Club at the annual meeting held recently. Other officers were elected as follows: Honorary president, J. F. Bledsoe; vice-president, T. I. Smellie; secretary, J. Morton; treasurer, W. M. Halliday; executive committee, H. A. Beckwith, Fred Smith, John Goldie, E. W. Pitman, G. A. Marconini, F. R. Exham, E. G. Mason, J. Line, H. N. Gahan, A. Phillips, F. V. Sellers, retiring president, is also an ex-officio member of the committee.

President Sellers, in reviewing the activities of the year, recalled that in the Greater Victoria interclub games the Victoria Club had won both the Cameron-Nicol and Whitney cups.

The secretary-treasurer's report showed that in spite of a reduction in membership and heavy expenditure on the greens, there was still a balance on the right side of the ledger.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed to the greenkeeper, J. M. McAllister, for his work in improving the greens and bringing them to first class condition. A tangible recognition was also given in a cheque for \$75 contributed by members of the club in a benefit game.

H. A. Beckwith, F. V. Sellers and T. L. Smellie were appointed delegates to the Greater Victoria Association, and John Goldie and H. A. Beckwith to the B.C. Lawn Bowling Association.

Annual prizes were presented as follows: Wilkerson Shield doubles (interclub)—J. S. Barr and A. Wallace, C.P.R.; 2, W. Wallace and R. Stewart, V.W.; 3, Smith and Hall, V.W.; 4, Cattroll and Jeffrey, Victoria.

Club singles—1, T. L. Smellie; 2, W. J. MacAllan.

Club doubles—1, J. H. Cattroll, J. H. Delf; 2, J. T. Keating, E. F. Fox.

Club triples—G. A. Marconini, H. A. Beckwith, J. C. Eastwood.

Novice singles—A. Phillips.

Veterans' singles—1, T. York; 2, F. R. Exham.

Veterans' doubles—T. York, W. J. Farmer.

Veterans' rinks—E. G. Mason, W. J. MacAllan, W. M. Halliday and C. Lawrence.

Totem pole mixed doubles—1, H. A. Stewart and Mrs. McVie; 2, D. Breckenridge and Mrs. Munro.

Rickey Goes Into Action

NEW YORK (AP)—Brooklyn Dodgers want to know if they have or haven't a first baseman for next season and President Branch Rickey has decided not to wait till the 1943 contracts are mailed to find out if Dolph Camilli really has retired.

Rickey disclosed Wednesday that Red McGraw, the Dodgers' chief scout, is in California and that part of his mission will be to check up on Camilli at his ranch at Laytonville, Calif., where Brooklyn's veteran captain last week told newspapermen he would not be willing to play for any eastern club.

On the report that Rickey gets from McGraw will depend what trading campaign the Dodgers undertake at the winter baseball meetings in Chicago next month.

As soon as Rickey settles the question of his manager for next season, and this probably will be done today at a conference he has scheduled with Leo Durocher, the club's next president will start laying his plans for rebuilding the team this winter.

STUDIES DRAFT STATUS

Rickey already has made a survey of the draft status of all the players on the Brooklyn roster and has found at least a dozen who might be called to service at any time.

This group of men who either are single or are married but have no children, includes Durocher, pitchers Curt Davis, Kirby Higbe, Hugh Casey and Chet Kehn, catcher Cliff Dapper, infielders Peeewe Reese, Stan Rokj and Les Burge and outfielders Pete Reiser, Johnny Rizzo and Augie Galan.

Burge, who was at Montreal last year, was being groomed to succeed Camilli. Therefore if the veteran decides to give up his better-than-\$20,000 salary with the Dodgers to stay at home on his ranch with his family of five children, or to manage a Coast League club, then Rickey will have to touch off the winter trading season with a deal for a first baseman.

Rickey will decide today, he said, whether he will keep Durocher as manager for the fifth year.

The top of a new coffee table can be tilted to serve as a reading stand, or raised along its support for playing games, and a number of other uses.

Trojans Smash Oregon



Quarterback Bob Musick, centre, of the University of Southern California, was but one of the many Trojan backs to romp through the University of Oregon team in the Los Angeles Coliseum. He's shown going through a hole in the Oregon line in the first quarter. U.S.C. won 40 to 0.

Art Ross Sponsors Move For Hockey Retrenchment

Montreal Negro Captures Fight In London Ring

By ALLAN NICKELSON
LONDON (CP)—When Cpl. Arnold Hayes puts his mind to it, he's a fair sort of fighter. But when he's not in the mood, the Montreal Negro can look mighty bad.

Holder of the Canadian Army Overseas light-heavyweight boxing crown, Arnold was in the groove against Jack Smith, a Worcester lad who hadn't had a serious fight since he came out of Dunkerque, and took an eight-round decision at London's Queensberry All-services Club. For Arnold, who put up a disappointing show in the quarter-finals of the British Army championships at York last March, it was perhaps his most convincing display on this side of the ocean.

Smith, regarded as a corner before the war, shook the six-foot Montrealer badly with one stiff right to the jaw, but was out of practice and couldn't quite cope with the rushing, swinging tactics of his grim opponent.

An upsurge that began near the canvas won the main bout of the card for Eric Boon, British lightweight champion. He knocked out Jake Kilrain of Glasgow in the second round of a scheduled 10-rounder. It was an unpopular, surprise finish to a tilt that started on a slow, cautious note.

Kilrain, former British welter king engaged in a comeback, collapsed on the floor, writhing in pain from the blow, and the crowd booed, believing the thrust low.

The packed house also vented disapproval of the match in the opening heat when the fighters were twice called to a halt and warned against holding.

Kilrain was convinced the knockout blow was low; Boon found it one of the finest blows he ever sunk.

WILDE BEATEN

Previous to the main match there were eight rounds of concentrated fury between big Jim Wilde, the boxer from Swansea, Wales, and Sapper George Muir of the New Zealand Army.

Muir gave the Welsh heavy-weight veteran a 35-pound pull in the weights and took the decision on the strength of a great last-round rally.

Both went to the floor in the first round and Wilde hit the deck again in the second round. Muir came out of the scrap with a severely cut eye.

Oddity in the News — Blame this on the war, but Tottenham Hotspur commanded a bridal coach to carry players' baggage from the railway station to the grounds for a league south football match with Reading.

It happened like this: No taxis were available at the station but the Spurs knew that Commando Maurice Edleston, Reading and English forward, was being married a few blocks away. The bridal coach was waiting outside the church—but not for long. In answer to the Spurs' SOS the coach hiked to the station.

After depositing the baggage it returned to the church for the couple. Then Edleston drove to the stadium and played for Reading before his wedding reception. The bride took it all in good part. She's a soccer enthusiast.

Over 500 Present at Eagles Baseball Smoker

Members of the Eagles senior ball team, along with officials of the Victoria Baseball Association sports writers and umpires, were guests of Victoria Acie No. 12 at a smoker Wednesday evening. Over 500 were in attendance with Charlie Jasper acting as master of ceremonies. Guests were introduced by Bill Bridgwood, lodge president and member of the ball team.

Fine program of entertainment was presented with the following artists contributing: Bird, vocalist; E. Fullerton, M. Varo and Bill Barton, tune termites; Prentice, recitation; White, violin solo; Margaret Milliken, Georgina Strms, Roy Smith and Frank Bosson, roller-skating artists. The weekly business session preceded the social during which 71 new members were initiated. The additions boosted the month's total to 100 and set up an all-time record.

NEED CAGE REFEREES

Officials of the Victoria and District Basketball League need referees to handle minor division games and anybody interested in helping out is asked to communicate with Brother Reilly, secretary, at St. Louis College.

Plan to Cut Player Limit Gets Support

Art Ross, author of so many National Hockey League rule changes and innovations in peacetime, may also set in motion the league's first step towards a policy of wartime retrenchment.

The veteran manager of Boston Bruins, always quick at sighting hockey trends, proposes that the player limit of all N.H.L. clubs be reduced from 15 to 13. The reasons are too obvious to mention. It's expected the proposal will be brought before the board of governors at a meeting in New York next week.

Ross won't be there in person, because he has vowed never to attend a board of governors' meeting while Frank Calder remains league president. Ross reached that decision after a stormy controversy with New York Rangers over possession of Angus (Scotty) Cameron, centre of the Regina Rangers' Allan Cup team in 1940-41. Instead, the Boston proposal will be made by Bob Duncan, club solicitor.

WOULD ALL BENEFIT

Surface indications are that the latest Ross proposal, like so many of his earlier brainwaves, will carry. Rangers, having lost Bill Gooden from their western Canada rookie line, are in the same fix as Boston. Toronto Maple Leafs and Montreal Canadiens have been unable to obtain border passports for several players and would stand to benefit by the reduced player limit in United States contests.

Those are the have-nots. If there are any dissenting voices, Detroit Red Wings and Chicago Black Hawks (riding one-two in the standings, incidentally) probably will supply the script. Both are well-fixed for player talent.

First place will be at stake when the Wings meet Hawks at Chicago tonight. The Hawks are two points behind Detroit and one in front of Leafs, Canadiens and Boston. Toronto could improve its third-place standing if Hawks lost by taking Rangers at New York in Thursday's only other game. The Blueshirts, on the other hand, could make it a four-way tie for third place by trouncing Leafs.

First Place Yarrows Win Squash Battle

Matches in the Squash Racquets League saw the league-leading Yarrows defeat the R.A.F. 5 to 3, and the Army and Royal Roads battle to a 4-to-4 deadlock. Scores in the Royal Roads Army match, with the former players' first named, follow:

Surg. Lt. Baker beat Capt. Lane, 15-6, 15-7.
Surg. Lt. Baker lost to Maj. Davey, 7-15, 15-12, 12-15.
Lieut. Genge lost to Maj. Davey, 5-15, 15-12, 12-15.
Lieut. Genge beat Capt. Lane, 15-4, 15-12.
Lieut. Gillespie beat Maj. Riley, 8-15, 15-12, 12-15.
Lieut. Gillespie beat Capt. Douglas, 15-3, 15-12.
Lieut. Rowland lost to Capt. Douglas, 15-17, 17-15, 15-12.
Lieut. Rowland lost to Maj. Riley, 13-15, 15-8, 8-15.

Scores in the R.A.F.-Yarrows match, with the former players' first named, follow:
APC. Daley lost to Van Horne, 9-15, 15-7, 15-12.
APC. Daley lost to Grant, 11-15, 15-12, 12-15.
Sergeant. Phillips lost to Van Horne, 10-15, 15-12, 12-15.
Sergeant. Phillips lost to Grant, 11-15, 15-12, 12-15.
PO. Curtis beat Ewing, 15-8, 15-9, 9-15.
PO. Curtis lost to Yardley, 16-15, 15-12, 12-15.
PO. Mills beat Ewing, 15-4, 15-12, 12-15.
PO. Mills beat Yardley, 15-17, 17-15, 15-14.
Yarrows lead the league with four points, closely followed by Royal Roads with three.

QUEBEC HOCKEY SCORES

MONTREAL (CP)—Two Quebec Senior Hockey League games ended in stalemates here Wednesday night as Canadiens and Montreal Army fought to a 2 to 2 tie after the Quebec Aces-Montreal R.C.A.F. curtain-raiser ended in a 4 to 4 draw.

The single point allowed Army to move into a second-place tie with Ottawa Commandos, three points behind Cornwall Army, while R.C.A.F. remained in the cellar but pulled Montreal Royals down with them.

SCORES KNOCKOUT

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP)—Earl Turner of Richmond, Calif., scored a fifth-round technical knockout over Jackie (Kid) Burke, Ogden, Utah, in their 10-round main event fight Wednesday night. Turner weighed 148 and Burke 146.

Gas Rationing Hits Serious Blow at Florida Racing

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Confusion over gasoline rationing arose Wednesday to plague Miami horse and dog track operators, already facing the severe headaches of trying to conduct race meetings in wartime.

On the heels of an announcement that the weekly "A" card quota in Florida will be reduced to three gallons Sunday, the Dade County (Miami) rationing chief, James A. Dixon, issued a statement saying "all pleasure driving simply is out."

"Motorists who use their cars to reach golf courses, ball games, race tracks, or for pleasure of any sort, will be risking the loss of their ration books."

Later, however, Dixon declared that he based his announcement on newspaper quotations of the Florida rationing head, and added that he would put no drastic regulation into effect until he gets official word to do so.

Since both Miami horse tracks are situated miles from town, and lack adequate bus service, the first announcement came like a body blow.

Doswell to Coach McKechnie Cup Team

With the retirement of Bob McInnes due to ill-health, Dan Doswell, former pro player and coach of University School teams, was named Wednesday evening to coach Victoria's 1942-43 Crimston Tide in its forthcoming McKechnie Cup rugby games.

Dan was also named as chairman of the referees board. Dates for the intercity games will be definitely set Sunday at a meeting here of the B.C. Rugby Union.

A tentative schedule was drawn up at Wednesday night's meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union. The dates are: Dec. 12, Victoria at Varsity; Dec. 26, Vancouver at Victoria; Jan. 9, Varsity at Victoria; Jan. 23, Victoria at Vancouver.

It was announced that the R.A.F. and naval cadets from H.M.C.S. Royal Roads would play in Saturday's feature match. The game is scheduled for 2.30 at Macdonald Park.

Big American Bowling Congress Called Off

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP)—The 43rd annual American Bowling Congress scheduled next spring in Buffalo was postponed Wednesday because of the war.

A special committee announced "the office of defence transportation has requested our co-operation in furthering the war effort by postponing the tournament."

"Thousands of our members cannot participate in the 1943 tournament because they are serving in the armed forces or are engaged in defence work. They want to protect their attendance records and their desire in this regard must be recognized and respected."

"Postponement of the tournament will enable many thousands of our members to remain at their war work, and thus, hundreds of thousands of vital man hours will be saved for the national defence effort."

FOOTBALL CHALLENGE

MONTREAL (CP)—Moe Jerscovitch, president of the Quebec Rugby Football Union, has sent a letter to the Ottawa Senior City Football League challenging its winner to meet the Quebec senior titlist Nov. 28.

If the Ottawa loop accepts, they will meet the winner of the Verdun Grads R.C.A.F. game scheduled for Saturday here.

scored a fifth-round technical knockout over Jackie (Kid) Burke, Ogden, Utah, in their 10-round main event fight Wednesday night. Turner weighed 148 and Burke 146.

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Ottawa Commends Salvage Corps

The following telegram from Ottawa has been received by A. H. Pease, honorary manager, Salvage Corps of B.C.:

"You deserve to be highly complimented on your letter on copper and brass, appearing in Nov. 6 issue of the Victoria Daily Times. If the public fully understood the need of the scrap

dealer in this war we feel certain prejudices would soon disappear. You are doing good work by your efforts to enlighten the public on this vexed question, and we hope you, together with others, will continue along this path.

The telegram is signed by A. J. Lequesne for steel controller.

University Mystery—Who Was Mrs. Brock?

TORONTO (CP)—Officials of the University of Toronto have a problem.

President H. J. Cody announced Tuesday that Col. E. B. Worthington of Sherbrooke, Que., had presented to the university a small, wooden, traveling trunk which, according to the letter received from the colonel, "was the property of Lady Brock, then wife of Maj.-Gen. Isaac Brock." But books in the university library make no mention of a Mrs. Brock—ever.

Consternation ran higher for a moment when a plate on the top of the little, age-weathered, brass-bound box was noticed bearing the inscription, "Mrs. Brock No. 3." However, investigation showed that in those days when a lady carried several pieces of luggage, each was numbered. Hence, piece No. 3, not wife No. 3.

Identity even of wife No. 1 remains a mystery. Letters written home to England to friends and relatives by the hero of Queenston Heights fail to reveal the existence of Mrs. Brock. Even in his funeral procession, of which a detailed diagram exists, none of the chief mourners is a woman.

The whole situation may provide some enterprising student with a subject for a thesis—who was Mrs. Brock?

Elton is the most expensive of the English schools. Its fee is \$1,150 a year.

11-Year-Old Bags Deer



Dennis Kempton, 11, pictured with the four-pointer buck he bagged at Happy Valley Sunday. Dennis goes hunting regularly with his father, W. W. Kempton, at 3150 Harriet, uses a 22 calibre high-powered rifle. He got the deer pictured above with a single shot, and has one other buck to his credit this season, having bagged one the preceding Sunday.

New York Dancer Thrills Audience

Fulfilling enthusiastic advance reports from all over the continent, Miriam Marmein of New York, mime and dancer, last night gave a splendid performance in a diverse and unusual field, under the auspices of the Victoria Musical Arts Society, in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel.

Playing with Miss Marmein was Dorothy Eustis, concert pianist, who is accompanying the dancer on her tour. The young Seattle musician was more than just an accompanist. Her quick understanding of the dancer's interpretative moods, and her ability to arrange music written for violin or drums into piano score revealed finished musicianship.

Miss Marmein opened with two Bach interpretations, the first, a prophecy of the coming of Christ to the majestic music of the Toccata in D Minor; the second, Air for the G String, revealing the fulfillment of the promise by the "Madonna."

Another Biblical story, "Death of the First Born," was dramatized to drum accompaniment by the artist who composes her own costumes, dances and sometimes music.

The real forte of the mime is her caricature. "La Ballerine" combining the dance of the pagan goddess with the studied affectations of 19th century ballet, is a typical example; and Victor Herbert's music was particularly appropriate for the "Get Your Man—1892 Version."

Mention must be made of the aesthetic and ethereal Chopin interpretation, "The Fountain," in which the artist's play of hands alone provided the expression of the dance.

Playing during intermission a selection of piano pieces, which she played recently with the Seattle Symphony under Sir Thomas Beecham, Miss Eustis provided a rare treat for Victoria music lovers. "Intermezzo in B Flat Minor," Capriccio in B Minor and "Ballade in D Major," composed the first group by Brahms, and as an encore the Etude in C Minor (ocean), by Chopin.

Music ranged from Bach, Ravel, Suk to Debussy and Herbert, and the tempo of the dance from tragedy to humor, but in all performances a high standard was maintained; providing the audience with one of the most enjoyable concerts of the season.

Mrs. E. W. Hetherington, president of the Musical Arts Society, introduced the artist, and entertained Miss Marmein and Miss Eustis in her home after the performance.

CAPITOL THEATRE
If you've kept an ear to the movie ground, you'll know that one of the funniest stories ever written for films is currently at the Capitol Theatre, where Paramount is presenting its hilarious comedy, "The Major and the Minor."

The picture, which co-stars Ginger Rogers and Ray Milland, is reputed to be a riot of laughs and unusual situations, all of which stem from Ginger's masquerade as a 12-year-old so she can get from New York to her Iowa home by train on half-fare. Milland, a Major who teaches at a military academy, becomes embarrassingly involved when he helps her to elude the suspicious conductors by taking her into his own compartment. His glib acceptance of Ginger's fantastic stories—the romantic complications that develop when his fiancée discovers Ginger in his berth and it becomes necessary for him to take Ginger to the academy to prove that she is really only a "minor"—all add up to one of the grandest comedies ever.

Alpaca cloth was introduced in England by the Earl of Derby in 1836.

Nat Pendleton in Army Camp Role

An uproarious comedy of life in a draftee camp is "Top Sergeant Mulligan," now playing at the Rio Theatre. Nat Pendleton plays the title role, and the big cast of fun-makers also includes Sterling Holloway, Carol Hughes, Frank Faylen, Charles Hall, Marjorie Reynolds, Tom Neal, Betty Blythe, Dick Elliott, Wonderful Smith and Maynard Holmes. Jean Yarbrough directed from a story by Edmond Kelso, under the production supervision of Lindsay Parsons.



JOHN GARFIELD in "Dangerously They Live," now at the York Theatre.

'Philadelphia Story' On York Screen

The infallible formula that "practice makes perfect" was put to good use during the preparation and filming of "The Philadelphia Story," picturization of Katharine Hepburn's New York comedy stage success, which stars her with Cary Grant and James Stewart, and comes today to the York Theatre for an engagement of three days.

The play, which carried through 52 consecutive weeks, 416 performances, certainly was published. The audiences that packed the Shubert Theatre laughed plenty, and since the world of today hungers for good laughs, Director George Cukor was anxious that none of them be lost in the film version.

Hence, the studio did a novel thing. Into the theatre went microphones, and then, one evening when the cast was not aware of the fact, the entire production was recorded on a sound track. The result was a record of a free and easy performance by players who knew where every laugh was available and how to get it.

'South American George' at Atlas

From the beginning to the end "South American George," now at the Atlas Theatre, is packed with a lavish assortment of brand new "gags" and comedy situations. The operatic sequences are

Where to Go Tonight

(As advertised)
ATLAS—George Formby in "South American George."
CADET—"The Great Man's Lady," starring Barbara Stanwyck.
CAPITOL—Ginger Rogers, in "The Major and the Minor."
DOMINION—"The Big Street" starring Henry Fonda and Lucille Ball.
OAK BAY AND PLAZA—"Between Us Girls," starring Diana Barrymore.
RIO—Top Sergeant Mulligan, starring Nat Pendleton.
YORK—Katherine Hepburn in "The Philadelphia Story."

Dominion Picture Salute to Airmen

Pat O'Brien, Glenn Ford and Evelyn Keyes come to the Dominion Theatre tomorrow in what has been hailed by Hollywood as one of the year's most thrilling service pictures, Columbia's "Flight Lieutenant." A story of the men who fly like angels and fight like demons, "Flight Lieutenant" was directed by Sidney Salkow from Michael Blankfort's screen play. B. P. Schulberg produced the new action hit, and important minor players include such well-known character actors as Jonathan Hale, Minor Watson, John Galloway, Larry Parks and Frank Puglia.

The "forgotten men" of the air—the test pilots—come into their own in "Flight Lieutenant," along with what are said to be sharply incisive scenes showing other phases of present-day aeronautics. Appearing as a flying hero of World War I who finds himself ignored by the aces and air cadets of World War II, Pat O'Brien traces the gallantry aloft which has made the eagle's wings so fast and so powerful.

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'Great Man's Lady' Showing at Cadet

In Hollywood where a lost scene is comparable with a lost right arm, it created a major sensation when Barbara Stanwyck asked Producer-director William A. Wellman to eliminate a number of her scenes from her new Paramount picture, "The Great Man's Lady," which comes today to the Cadet Theatre.

Originally, the script opened on Miss Stanwyck and there were occasional views of her during the picture's introductory scenes. Miss Stanwyck went into a

huddle with Wellman and he agreed that it would be better drama to have her character talked about but unseen as long as possible, even though it meant curtailment of her scenes.

Co-starred with Miss Stanwyck is Joel McCrea. Brian Donlevy is the very attractive "other man."

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Five hundred thousand Koreans residing in Manchukuo are men without a country since a law prohibits people without passports or official consular registration from leasing or owning lands in the new empire. These Koreans smuggled themselves across the border while it was Chinese territory.

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Victoria Folk, Places Crowd Emily Carr's New Book

Emily Carr, noted Victoria artist, whose book "Klee Wyck" won the Governor-General's award for nonfiction in 1941, was today receiving congratulations at her home, Government Street, on the national publication of her second volume, "The Book of Small." She has dedicated it to Ira Dilworth.

This is the story of her childhood, with backward glances to the days of her father's arrival from England and his establishment in business. The canvas is crowded with Victoria people, her own family, mother, sisters, aunts, neighbors, friends, clergy and runs the gamut from genteel people of Victoria's early high society to the less reputable frequenters of the saloons and roadhouses, seen through the sharp eyes of a little girl.

"It is a book for adults, grown-ups, all those of us who look back to that other self we were a score or two or even three score or more years ago," writes the Oxford University press critic. "When Emily Carr writes about the common experiences of childhood, we share her more vivid experiences; when she writes of another day and age than ours, she relates it imaginatively for us."

"Her pictures of Victoria and



EMILY CARR

its people in the 80's are charming, delightful, because they are typical of the period and the place. She writes about Victoria as English writers do about England, and as practically no one has written in English about Canada before. This is her place, her soil, she loves it and understands it. Victoria to her is Canada, as Essex was England to Hardy or Shropshire was England to Housman."

Cheques Speeded As Courtesy Move, Jesse Tells Court

Vouchers were stamped "urgent" and bore directions for delivery of cheques to certain people at certain times simply as a courtesy gesture, H. A. Jesse, auditor of disbursements, said in Assize Court today as the trial of George H. Hall and L. J. Simmons, charged with conspiring to defraud the government, continued.

Jesse said he had initialed the voucher calling for the \$2,400 payment to Hall & Co. Ltd. and had placed the urgent stamp on it. Later, he said, he had taken an employee of Hall & Co. Ltd. to the treasury department to pick up the cheque.

"What," asked P. J. Sinnott, counsel for Simmons, "it is (the stamp) required for?"

"It's been there a long time," Mr. Jesse replied. "It was used, he said, when people asked for cheques at a specific time. There were thousands of vouchers passing through his hands and the stamp expedited payment. Jesse added, stating that as a civil servant he liked to accommodate people when he could."

He could not recall who had asked for the urgent stamp on the voucher in question, he said, but, knowing Hall for years, he had applied it as a friendly move. W. F. Bridge, in the Attorney-General's Department, had asked for rushed orders previously, as had many others in different departments, but he had not asked for the cheque in question, witness said.

John Harvey, deputy Comptroller-General for B.C., continued testimony today. He said the matter of the order for 200 pairs of police breeches from Hall and Co. Ltd. had come to his attention particularly after Hall's letter explaining they could not be supplied.

JUST EXPLANATION
He had not considered the explanation a question of deceit or fraud so much as an explanation of something he had not previously understood, he said.

Harvey testified he knew of no cases of prepayment by the government for goods, but said he had heard the goods were paid for before actual physical delivery was made. That was the case, he understood, in cloth at Gordon Campbell Ltd., Vancouver, made for the government and kept in the firm's warehouse. Witness attributed the fault in

the Hall deal to someone other than members of the audit department.

"The least important fellow gets the blame," suggested Stuart Henderson, counsel for Hall.

"You might blame the system," Harvey said later in reply to question of responsibility for errors.

Harvey testified Hall was the only person who had refunded money to the government in cases under review during his investigation. He further stated Hall had not tried to deceive him or hide anything and that the company's other business with the government amounted to \$17,000, apart from the breeches deal.

Henderson introduced a document he suggested took the form of a statement from the supply firm covering receipt of goods. The document had not been returned by Hall, he said.

J. B. Clearhugh, K.C., crown prosecutor, said it dealt with sales tax provisions.

Wm. Jackson, an employee at Hall & Co. Ltd. in October last year, testified he had picked up the cheque from the treasury department.

Sun Would Burn Up In 5,000 Years If Made of Coal

According to Dr. G. Volkoff, assistant professor of physics at the University of British Columbia, the sun would consume itself in 5,000 years if it were made of coal. He mentioned this to the Victoria branch of the Royal Astronomical Society at its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening. His subject was "Sources of Stellar Energy."

Dr. Volkoff spoke chiefly on the sun and said there was no other known substance which could give off energy at the same rate as the sun and not be consumed. From geological records, he continued, it was known the sun had been burning for at least 10,000,000,000 years.

In 1920, Dr. Volkoff said, by the bombardment and breaking down of hydrogen atoms, scientists came to the conclusion that the high state of activity and the rapidly changing atomic structure of the sun accounted for its enormous release of energy.

He said this also applied to the stars. By comparison with the star Capella, he showed that our sun was a small stellar body.

Says Victorians Pay Too Much For Electricity

Pioneer days of public utilities in Victoria were recalled today at the discussion of B.C. Electric Railways Affairs before the Public Utilities Commission, under chairmanship of Dr. W. A. Carruthers, in the Courthouse.

In 1905 the B.C. Electric took over the Victoria Gas Co., Forrest L. Shaw, Victoria City solicitor, recalled.

In those days, S. R. Weston, chief engineer to the commission, who made an appraisal of B.C. Electric properties, said the company was owned in England and managed on the spot. Then companies didn't know what depreciation reserves were.

Mr. Shaw said a tar extractor, bought in Vancouver in 1907, had been transferred to Victoria in 1938 and the Victoria branch had been charged \$2,536 for it. Mr. Weston said this was less depreciation—transfers in every case were less depreciation.

WANT EFFICIENCY

"We want efficiency and we can't have it if we have to take a lot of Vancouver stuff that is second hand," Mr. Shaw said.

Mr. Weston explained transferred equipment was not inefficient, but had grown inadequate in capacity for growing needs of Vancouver.

"You wouldn't say they were giving us discarded equipment?" Mr. Shaw asked, and Mr. Weston replied, "I wouldn't say so."

Replying to a question from Mr. Shaw, Mr. Weston said the B.C. Electric paid \$922 a year in taxes on its Gorge Park, and the only direct revenue he could find was \$100 a year in rent.

Prof. E. S. Farr, on behalf of the city, is presenting three briefs—on electricity, transportation and gas.

"In accounting statements, the electric service throughout British Columbia is shown to have enjoyed increasing profits over the 5-year period ending June, 1939," said the brief on electricity.

"On Vancouver Island south, after depreciation, the sums available to meet income taxes, interest on bonded debt and dividends on stock are \$748,020, \$788,764, \$812,365, \$865,855 and \$890,051, respectively. Accepting for the moment the figures given for depreciated original cost (\$7,095,890), the new profit available for the payment of interest and dividends in the years under review, years that were not outstanding for general business prosperity, runs from 10.5 to 12.5 per cent on this depreciated original cost rate base."

"These profits give us little idea of the returns on the common stock, unless we are able to discover and deduct the obligations, which must be met each year on the long-term debt, that is, on the preference stock and bonds. Even if we deducted the income tax for 1939, which was a high peace time tax (\$718,271, less \$168,752), there would still be 22 per cent return available to the common stock equity. While we oppose the principle of charging income taxation to operations, the deduction of the 1939 peace time income taxes from the 1941 net surplus would still leave a profit of 27 per cent."

\$500,000 A YEAR

Continuing the brief said, "Whether the commission decides on an overall 5 or 6 per cent, or on a reasonable rate on the common stock, it is obvious that a substantial reduction in rates is in order. The electric utility is taking from Victoria pockets something like \$500,000 too much annually. Should normal peace-time income taxes be allowed as operation expense, a principle to which we do not fully subscribe, even in this case the electric utility of Vancouver Island South would be in receipt of more than \$1,000 per day too much. With total receipts per annum as at June 30, 1939, exceeding \$1,400,000, this utility could be cut in the neighborhood of 25 to 40 per cent."

With the electric service in the enjoyment of revenues far above requirements, the public we represent will be satisfied with nothing less than a prompt and substantial cut in rates."

Run on Champagne:
Liquor Users Rationed

SEATTLE—Champagne sales are scooting upwards in state liquor stores, as wiles remain one of the few items not on the "quart-a-week" rationing system. Wine is made out of grapes and so is brandy, but some hopefuls found out at the liquor stores that brandy is rationed.

"Any liquor that is 21 per cent proof or more is a distilled spirit and is considered a 'hard liquor,' said one liquor store manager.

"All 'hard liquor' is rationed."

Customers lined up again Wednesday and today in the stores, not so much for liquor as for liquor permits and the new rationing cards.

Pumping 500 Gallons of Water a Minute



Left to right: James Lusse, Douglas Marchant (kneeling), John Abbott, Arthur Button, Alderman Archie Wills, chairman of the fire wardens; Fire Chief Alex Munroe and Times reporter Jim Kearney.

Sent to the Victoria Fire Department by the Provincial A.R.P., city firemen are shown as they tested a new 500 gallon centrifugal pump behind the Fire Hall, Wednesday afternoon. Oak Bay and Saanich departments have received similar machines.

Fire department officials said they found the new pump efficient in every way and are awaiting delivery of at least one more similar machine. Capable of pumping 500 gallons a minute, only 300 gallons less than a regular department pumper, the new machine is capable of ejecting streams from a pair of two- and one-half inch hoses.

It is powered by a Ford V-8 motor and can be towed trailer fashion behind a truck or car. Manufactured by Bickle-Seagrave, it is equipped with an axle, crowbar, portable lantern and has storage space for 500 feet of hose.

This pumper is a large improvement over smaller ones received by the department in past months which pump only 150 gallons a minute.

Arrangements for sending of the units here were made by Inspector S. E. M. Moodie of the Provincial A.R.P. Alderman Wills thanked him for his assistance in getting this type of equipment for the area.

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Victoria Dimout Causes Only Minor Difficulties

Greater Victoria awoke this morning apparently with no bad effects after the first night of a dimout which now shrouds the Pacific coast from Mexico to Alaska.

With a bright moon to supplement dimmed street lighting, traffic, although lighter than usual, proceeded without disruption at 15 miles an hour. Pedestrians kept a sharp look-out for autos which chalked up a perfect score of no accidents during the first dimout.

Observers on the ground reported the dimout was a success. A.R.P. observers in an R.C.A.F. plane circling the city reported more dimming out would be necessary.

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OBITUARY

TAYLOR—The death occurred this morning of David E. Taylor of 1108 Cook Street. Mr. Taylor was born in Pittmeane, Scotland, and had lived here for 29 years. He leaves one sister in Scotland. His wife, predeceased him two years ago. The remains are at the Sands Mortuary from where funeral arrangements will be announced later.

LUGRIN—Mrs. Lugin Shaw of the Old West Farm, Saanich, has received word of the death of her aunt, Miss Mary Lugin, who died in Lowell, Mass., Oct. 28. A descendant of United Empire Loyalists, she was the youngest daughter of the late Charles K. Lugin, King's Printer of Fredericton, N.B., and sister of the late Charles H. Lugin, one-time editor of the Colonist. The funeral took place from the Fredericton Cathedral.

EDWARD—The death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital Wednesday of Peter Low Edward, 77, of 426 Arnold Street. Mr. Edward was born in Perth, Scotland, and had lived here for 21 years. Surviving are his widow; three sons, James and William N., at the family residence, and Sgt. John A. Edward, in the U.S.; one daughter, Mrs. T. L. Pickell, and two grandchildren, Fort St. John, B.C., and two sisters, Mrs. J. Yule and Mrs. G. Siderf, Newark, N.J. The remains are at Sands Mortuary, from where funeral services will be held Friday at 2, Rev. Hugh A. McLeod officiating. Interment at Royal Oak.

SHARPE—Rev. N. E. Smith will conduct the funeral service for Arthur W. Sharpe Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the Thomson Funeral Home. The funeral will be under the auspices of Victoria Columbia Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., Interment at Colwood.

BOND—Joseph Haegert conducted funeral service for Allan Bond Wednesday in the Thomson Funeral Chapel. Pallbearers were H. Knight, G. S. Harris, P. G. Millman, and W. E. Bond. Interment at Royal Oak.

PASCOE—Thomas Pascoe, 82, retired gold miner, died Wednesday at the Salvation Army Hostel, Johnson Street. He was born in Cornwall and had lived in Victoria since 1892, between mining expeditions to all parts of the world. He had lived here continuously for the last 12 years. His wife died two years ago. A sister resides in Plymouth, Eng. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

BOMFORD—Rev. G. Kinney conducted the funeral service for Edwin Wilfred Bomford, Wednesday afternoon, in the Chapel of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Pallbearers were A. J. Castle and B. Clements, representing the Cowichan Branch of the Canadian Legion; P. Barry and R. Easton, representing the A.O.F., and E. Renouf and D. Sutton, B. W. Nunn district secretary, Vancouver Island, A.O.F., read the Foresters' burial service at the graveside at Royal Oak.

BROADBRIDGE—Seymour Broadbridge, 49, of 921 Pembroke Street, died Wednesday at St. Joseph's Hospital. He was born in London, Eng., and had lived here for eight years. For the last three years he had been an employee in the furniture department of the Hudson's Bay Company. He leaves his widow, Margaret, at home, and brothers and sisters in England. The remains are at McCall Bros' Funeral Chapel, where the service will be conducted Friday at 2, Rev. Dr. J. B. Rowell will officiate. Interment at Royal Oak.

J. L. Col. Wm. Dray, national war secretary for the Salvation Army of Toronto, will give an illustrated lecture tonight at 8 in the Broad Street Citadel. Moving pictures will be shown of "The Serving Army," "A Good Landfall" and "The Commandos." Brigadier Matt Junker will be present and the officers and comrades of Victoria West corps will attend.

The home extension plan and advertising will be discussed at a meeting of the Real Estate Board Friday at Spencer's at 12:30.



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Dr. Manion Praises Coast A.R.P. Units

Dr. R. J. Manion, director of civil air raid precautions in the Department of Pensions and National Health, in Victoria today on a short inspection tour, praised A.R.P. organizations on the coast. Dr. Manion said he did not care to discuss A.R.P. policy but said however British Columbia was getting a fair share of equipment as it was made available for A.R.P. use by the manufacturers. The Canadian A.R.P. head said it was unlikely the government would make the purchase of gas masks, to be distributed in Victoria soon, compulsory or make any regulations about carrying gas masks.

Dr. Manion was accompanied by W. C. Malvern, chairman of the advisory council, Provincial Inland Protection Committee, Insp. S. F. M. Moodie, provincial civilian protection officer, and T. F. Dagg, administrative officer of the Provincial Civilian Protection Committee.

This morning the officers met the City Council war board and A.R.P. officials in the office of Mayor Andrew McGavin, and the reeves and A.R.P. controllers of the three neighboring municipalities.

Before returning to the mainland this afternoon he inspected a vault which will be used to house objects and documents formerly displayed at the Provincial Archives.

Women M.L.A.'s Enter By-election Fight

Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., will leave Victoria tomorrow to take part in the Nov. 25 by-election in Salmon Arm, made necessary by the death of Hon. R. W. Bruhn.

She will join Mrs. Tilly Molson, the other woman coalition M.L.A. Members of the cabinet taking part in the campaign, in support of Mayor Cyril Thomson of Salmon Arm, are Premier John Hart, Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, Public Works Minister Herbert Anscomb, Agriculture Minister K. C. MacDonald, Education Minister H. G. T. Perry.

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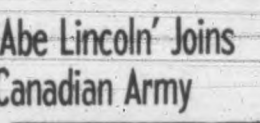
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'Abe Lincoln' Joins Canadian Army



RAYMOND MASSEY

OTTAWA (CP)—Appointment of Raymond Massey, 46-year-old actor-producer, to special duties in the Adjutant-General's branch, with the rank of major, was announced by Defence Minister Ralston Wednesday night and Maj. Massey himself said he was joining the army "either as a serving soldier or nothing."

He said in an interview that he had decided Dec. 7 last to "do something" about rejoining the Canadian army, with which he served in the first Great War.

(Dec. 7, 1941, was the day on which the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor.)

Maj. Massey added, "I am tired of talking, and now I want to do something." His son, Geoffrey, is training with the R.C.A.F. at Toronto.

Maj. Massey, born at Toronto in 1896, comes of early American stock and of a family whose members have been patrons of education and the arts in Canada. A brother, Hon. Vincent Massey, is Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain.

Maj. Massey was a lieutenant in the Canadian Field Artillery at 19 and saw action during the first Great War. He was wounded at Ypres in 1916, and while convalescing during 1917 was sent to Yale and Princeton universities as instructor in field artillery. In 1918 he served in Siberia.

(Two years ago Maj. Massey appeared in Victoria at the Royal Victoria Theatre in "Abe Lincoln in Illinois.")

LAND REGISTRY ACT

SECTION 100
IN THE MATTER of the East Half of Lot 11, in Block 12, of Section 27, Victoria District, Plan 1197.

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 108901-1 to the above-mentioned land, in the name of Bertha May Hamilton, and bearing date the 26th day of March, 1938, I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue in the name of the said Bertha May Hamilton a Provisional Certificate of Indefeasible Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

ANY PERSON having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

DATED this 26th day of October, 1942, at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

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Deputy Registrar.

Victoria Land Registration District.

3 Trustees Seek Return; 4 Aldermen Ask Re-election

Victoria's three school trustees whose terms expire at the end of the year today jointly announced their candidature for re-election at the civic elections Dec. 10.

They are Trustees Mrs. A. S. Christie, chairman of the education committee, who is completing her fifth year in office, Austin Curtis, chairman of the finance committee, who is finishing his first two-year term, and Dr. G. A. B. Hall, member of the finance committee, who is winding up the first year of his return to public office.

In the City Council field, four of five sitting aldermen have announced their candidature for re-election and Mrs. Alice McGregor is regarded as a strong probability in the field with Mrs. A. C. Ross, prominent member of the Local Council of Women.

Aldermen already announced include W. L. Morgan, John A. Worthington, P. E. George and D. D. McTavish. Alderman Archie Wills, fifth of the five whose terms end this year, has not yet made an announcement.

Mayor Andrew McGavin also kept his plans undisclosed, but civic observers generally were of opinion he would be standing for his seventh term as the city's chief magistrate. This year he achieved a record, becoming the first mayor in Victoria's history to stay in office for more than five consecutive years.

CONTINUED SCHOOL POLICY

The joint announcement of the

three school trustees promised a continuation of board policies, which have drawn little censure. Should she be elected, it would mean a continuation for Trustee Christie of an energetic move, through the education committee, to improve conditions of study and would express support for the junior craft school, in which she has taken particular interest. For Trustee Curtis it would mean sustained interest not only in the financial workings of the board, but maintained activity on behalf of the school board. Trustee Hall, during his single year, had lent sage council and a wealth of experience from other public offices to the deliberations of the board.

Nominations for the different posts will be received in the City Council Chamber from noon to 2 on Thursday, Dec. 3. The elections will be held the following Thursday in the City Market Building.

Victoria Flier Ignored Dangers, Difficulties

LONDON (CP)—Award of the Distinguished Flying Cross to Pilot Officers John Robert McDonald of Victoria, B.C., and Franklin Meredith Falls of Westmount, Que., and the Distinguished Flying Medal to Flt. Sgt. Wm. Henry Keane of Quebec City are announced in a list of decorations which include the citation covering the award of the D.F.C. to P.O. Len Jackson of Riverside, Ont., which was announced Nov. 11.

McDonald, Falls and Keane participated, among other operations, in the heavy raid on the Le Cre-

Women Going To Tory Convention Talk Organization

By JAMES MCCOOK

OTTAWA (CP)—Women supporters of the Conservative Party will attend the National Conservative Convention at Winnipeg Dec. 9, 10 and 11 as part of the general membership. They may leave it with a women's national organization to lead and direct their party work from coast to coast.

Women Conservatives in the capital said their information indicated there will be strong support for a women's organization to knit together provincial associations and advance party programs in which women are particularly interested.

At the 1938 national convention it was voted that "there be no separate national Conservative organization for women but that this shall not be deemed to prevent separate organizations for women in such provinces as may decide to so organize." The convention set forth, also, that "wherever possible women should be accorded equal representation with men on national Conservative organizations."

Some provinces have availed themselves of the right of women to organize their own Conserva-

tive associations, but in British Columbia, Alberta, Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island men and women are associated in the same provincial organizations. Where there are local women's associations, they have representation on the general provincial association.

IN PRAIRIE PROVINCES

In Saskatchewan there is a separate Conservative women's provincial association headed by Mrs. J. H. Currie of Vonda. She recently succeeded Mrs. W. F. Crolie of Regina as president.

The Manitoba Conservative Women's Association is headed by Mrs. Arthur B. Roblin of Homewood, who has participated in Conservative organization work and election campaigns for many years.

Mrs. Hugh McKay of Rotheray, wife of the leader of the New Brunswick Conservative Party, is president of the New Brunswick women's provincial organization.

Officials at national Conservative headquarters here said that in all cases the women's Conservative associations, provincial or local, work in co-operation with the Dominion and other Conservative groups.

In the selection of constituency delegates for the national convention at Winnipeg the party executive has asked that one of the three delegates named by each district be a woman. One of the other delegates will be a young person and, because of the number of young Conservatives who have enlisted in the armed forces, officials said it is anticipated a large proportion of the representation in this group will be young women.

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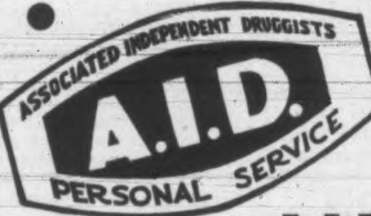
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The next "dodo" may be the giant California condor which, dating back more than 1,000,000 years, now seems headed for extinction.



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Dorothy Dix: Man Marrying Second Time Should Wipe Slate Clean

Dear Miss Dix: After as perfect a married life as any couple was ever blessed with my wife died, leaving me very lonely. Due to the fact that we were so very congenial we needed no other companion that each other, we had few friends, and now when I feel that I need companionship desperately I do not know how to get into the running.

I am only 41 and I would like to marry again if I could find a suitable mate, a woman who does not care for night clubs, or drinking, or excessive gadding around, but who would be a good wife and companion to me. I am a successful small business man and could give my wife a comfortable home and security.

Do you think that if I married again I would be satisfied with another wife as I was with my first choice? Or do you think I am too old to try another experience with matrimony? And where could I find the kind of a woman I want in this age?

DESPONDENT.

Answer: You are on the sunny side of middle age and I think you would make a great mistake in not marrying again and rebuilding your life, for evidently you are of the domestic type of man and would be bored to death trying to live in clubs and hotels and find companionship among strange men.

But when you try to pick out a second wife, don't make the mistake that so many widowers do of trying to find one who will be a duplicate of your first wife. Don't select No. 2 for the qualities that No. 1 had. Don't expect No. 2 to inspire in you the same emotions that No. 1 did.

Remember that you are 41 now instead of the 20 you were when you married your first wife. There is only one dream to a lifetime, and you will never see any woman through the romantic haze that you saw your first wife, but that need not keep you from giving the honest, steady, comfortable love of middle age.

SHOULD REPRESENT NATURE JUDGMENT

Many marriages are far happier and more congenial than the first marriages were because the husband had outgrown, often without realizing it, the pretty little sweetums he married, and the second wife represented his mature judgment instead of his youthful fancy.

Don't expect your second wife to cook like your first wife did, or dress the way she did, or have her habits and tastes. Begin a new life. Pick out a woman who interests you, whose judgment

ment you respect and whose conversation you enjoy, and never throw up to her what an angel No. 1 was. Wipe the slate clean and make a fresh beginning.

Unless it is financially necessary, don't make your second wife live in your first wife's house, or use her furniture, or any of her belongings. I get hundreds of letters from second wives whose hearts are breaking because they are expected to be just stand-ins for the dead wife, and who feel that their husbands are still married to the departed ladies in the cemeteries.

As for how to get in touch with such a woman as you desire for a wife, you will have to revive your friendships with your old men friends. Their wives will take over the wife-hunting job for you.

HUBBY GOES ON A HUNGER STRIKE

Dear Miss Dix: When my husband and I have arguments pertaining to money matters or other subjects that he doesn't agree with me about, he goes on what is practically a starvation strike. I beg him to eat and try to tempt him with dishes that he likes, but still he refuses all food. This worries me sick as he works at a very strenuous job and I know he needs to be nourished. At one time he went without eating for two days. What can I do?

MRS. F. S.

Answer: Poor soul, you must feel that you are Mrs. Gandhi, but you know I have never taken much stock in this hunger strike business, and I shouldn't let it worry me if I were you. If my husband got any pleasure out of acting like the Mahatma, I would humor him along, well knowing that when his stomach began to growl for food it would make him forget whatever his grievance was.

Anyway, as a first aid to helping him forget his mad, I would recommend that you fry ham or concoct a savor dish with plenty of onions in it whose aroma will penetrate to wherever he is nursing his wrath and set his salivary glands to working, and be a more potent argument for peace than anything you can say. And don't forget that when your husband goes out to work every day he passes numerous restaurants where he has an opportunity for stoking up for 24 hours, while you worry.

Perhaps I am a little cynical about the hunger strike because I had a friend who had a daughter-in-law who announced that she was going to starve herself to death if her husband accepted a position that would

necessitate their moving to another city. He went, and the young woman appeared to put her threat into execution. She refused food and drink, other than a sip of water now and then, but miraculously seemed to lose no weight. But, alas, one day when she left her bed for a few minutes mother-in-law undertook to straighten it up, when out from between the mattresses dropped enough canned stuff to stock a delicatessen store.

So I say phooney on the hunger strikes! They just aren't.

Uncle Ray

Dancing Wife Saved Stage Coach Passenger \$1,500

In old days of stagecoach travel, the highway was a favorite place for robbers to gather. Men would wait for a coach to reach a lonely part of the road, then would rush out and order it to halt.

"Stand and deliver!" came to be a well-known order. The passengers were robbed at pistol point.

People who rob for a living usually have minds of a low order. They fool themselves into



Cavalier highwayman making ready to dance with coach passenger.

thinking they can obtain "easy money," but find there is no peace for them until, perhaps, they go behind the bars of a prison.

Most robbers are dressed rather shabbily, but there was a time when quite a number of well-dressed "Cavaliers" turned into highwaymen in England. They were nicknamed "gentlemen of the road."

When Oliver Cromwell took power, thousands of his enemies, known as Cavaliers, went abroad. Some of them settled in Virginia. Other Cavaliers stayed in England, and it was among these that the "gentlemen of the road" were found.

When stagecoaches came along, the passengers were forced to turn over their money and jewels. At one time a coach containing Cromwell himself was stopped by two highwaymen. One of them raised his pistol and shouted "Oliver Cromwell, prepare to meet thy God!" After speaking the words, he fired, but missed his target. Then soldiers of Cromwell rushed out and captured one of the highwaymen; the other, who had fired the pistol, escaped.

At another time a man carried a sum equal to \$2,000 on a stagecoach. His wife was riding beside him, and she was playing

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Bringing Up Father

DADDY—HOW IS MR. MURPHY'S DOGS? AS YOUR SECRETARY?

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NOW LOOK AT THAT! HIS DOGS ALL CLATTERED UP WITH A LOT OF EMPTY BULLETS AND OLD CIRCULARS—I NEVER SAW SUCH AN UNLucky BUY!

WELL, I'LL HAVE TO CLEAN IT UP MYSELF—AS I WANT THINGS LOOKING NEAT!

YOU!

PO-LEASE! MR. JIGGS! I WAS WORSE AT YOUR DESK!

YES, I'VE BEEN TRYING TO FIND HIM SO I CAN FIRE HIM!

NOT BAD! NOT BAD, MISS B! I'M SURE AM ELEGANT!

BUT IT'S GIVING TAKE A HEAD OF FIVE—BY FIVE DUSTIN!

THAT'S THE HOUSE! I WONDER HOW MANY PEOPLE LIVE THERE?

KEEP WATCH! WHEN THEY ARE OUT THEY GET THE BLUE PRINTS OUT OF THE LOVING CUP!

NEVER MIND! KEEP TWISTING! HERE COMES THE SECOND GROUP!

WOW! HERE I AM WITH A CRIPPLED SHIP, MY TAIL GUNNER WOUNDED, SIX ROCKS—WELPS DRIVING AT US—AND THAT INTELLIGENCE OFFICER BACK THERE PROBABLY NEVER SAW A MACHINE GUN BEFORE IN HIS LIFE!

RATTA TATTA!

Mr. and Mrs.

NOW JOE, SO LONG AS YOU'RE STAYING HOME YOU MIGHT TEND TO THE DOOR.

OKAY, WHO'S COMING?

THE BUTTER AND EGG MAN. THE MONEY TO PAY HIM IS IN THE JAR ON THE SIDEBORD.

ALL RIGHT, SURE, THERE'S ENOUGH.

AND THE MAN WHO CLEANED THE WINDOWS WILL COME FOR HIS MONEY JUST PAY HIM, WILL YOU?

MEAN I PAY HIM? WHO'D PAY HIM IF I WASN'T HOME?

AND THERE'LL BE A C.O.D. FROM DOWNTOWN. TWO DOLLARS.

NO MORE DAYS OFF FOR ME I CAN'T AFFORD EM.

SECRET AGENT HEAD TO SEE HER MIGHTINESS, SIR!

OKAY, SEND MAIN!

THEY'RE BUILDING A SECRET WEAPON. GENERAL COP IN VENTED. TH GUNS WHO'VE SEEN IT WORK ARE PRETTY SURE IT'LL GIVE US HEAD-ACHES!

ALLEY OOP AGAIN! GUESS HIS BONES WHEN THIS FALL GALANITY FALL ON MY NECK ON MY NECK!

I UNDERSTAND IT LAUNCHING IS TO BE RIGHT SOON!

SAY! THEY'VE GOT SUMPIN' THERE. HO! A SHIP EAT NAVAL ATTACK!

YEH, BUT NOW ARE WE GONNA STOP IT SOMEHOW?

SABOTAGE!

AND THIS ITEM GOES WITH THE ESTATE! JASPER STIPULATED THAT IT BE DELIVERED TO HORACE GRUBBLE AFTER THE WILL IS READ!

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OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN

By George McManus



HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN

By Martin



HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN

By Roy Crane



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By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hooven



HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN

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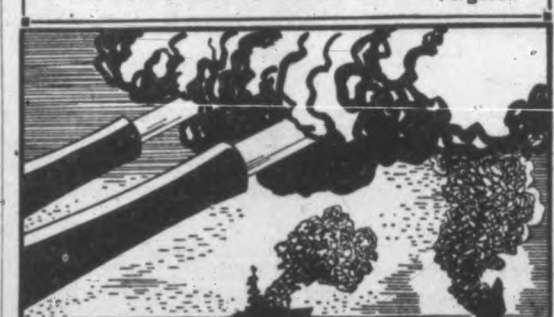
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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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India Not Exploited,
Sir Robert Says

"The Cripps' India commission failed chiefly because Congress leaders thought it inopportune to associate with any interim government which might conceivably lose the war," said Sir Robert Holland in an address to the combined Music Teachers and Victoria Associations' luncheon Wednesday.

His subject, "India—the Next Phase," brought out facts on the Hindu-Mohammedan problem, Gandhi's alliance with Congress, and the reaction of the United States to Britain's recent negotiations.

The speaker was introduced by Alee H. Sutherland, president of the Victoria Authors' Association, following a few words by Ethel James, president of the Music Teachers' Association, and Eugene Perry, vice-president.

Sir Robert Holland was in the civil service in India for 30 years. He just completed a lecture tour of Canada, and plans another to the States shortly.

Of his recent activities, Mr. Sutherland said, "Sir Robert can perform no greater service to our cause than by placing the Indian problem in its true light before the citizens of both our own country and the United States."

"American opinion has, in the last two months, become more critical of British attitude in India," Sir Holland stated, enumerating some of the specific charges made by Willkie. He went further to explain and disprove many of the allegations, such as Britain's exploitation of India.

"India pays no tax, direct or indirect, subsidy or tribute to Britain. The only economic advantages derived today are British enterprises, interest on loans and the pay and pensions of nationals working in the country."

Present at the head table with Sir Robert Holland and presidents of the allied associations were Miss F. Phillimore, corresponding secretary of the Music Teachers' Association, Mrs. S. Blair, and Misses M. MacGovern, M. Adamson, E. Perry and M. George. About 75 members and guests were present.

Overseas Goods Marks
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OTTAWA (CP)—Markings on goods shipped overseas are determined by United Kingdom authorities, the Munitions Department states.

(Earlier this week Cecil Charles Poole, Labor member of the British House of Commons, said there was need for greater secrecy in the markings on shipments from Canada, which might reveal destination as specified by British authorities in the original contract, while markings to identify materials are specified by the United Kingdom inspection board, Munitions Department spokesmen say.

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RADIO

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5.00 News—KOL
• Biltmore Rendezvous—KPO.
Don Winslow—KJR.
Joe Hunter—KIRO.
Musical Jewel Box—KOMO.
The Story Man—CKWX.
Ted Gray—CJOR.
Music—KVI.
Voice of Victory—CJR at 5.05.

5.30 News—KJR, KNX, KIRO, CJOR.
Jack Armstrong—KJR.
Circus Train—CJVI.
To Be Ignorant—KOL, CBR.
Puk Mosa—KOMO.
The Peck—KPO.
Talking Dray—CKWX.
Truman Bradley—KIRO, KNX at 5.45.
By the Way—KOMO, KPO at 5.45.
Federationist News—CJOR at 5.45.
Cecil Brown—KIRO, KNA at 5.50.

6.00 Music Hall—KOMO, KPO.
Qula Club—CJR.
Musical Cocktail—CKWX.
Major Bowes—KIRO, KNX.
Hoo Harrigan—KJR.
Club 666—CJOR.
Sweet Music—KOL.
Novelty—CJVI.
News—KOL, KJR at 6.15.

6.30 News—CJVI, CKWX.
Spotlight Bands—KJR.
Washington and the War—KOL.
Stage Door Canteen—KIRO, KNX.
Dippee Special—CJR.
Concert Hall—CJOR.

7.00 News—CJR, CKWX.
Abbott and Costello—KOMO, KPO.
Raimond Grim Spring—KJR.
The First Line—KIRO, KNA.
Raymond Clapper—KOL.
Novelty—CJVI.
Concert—CJR at 7.15.

7.30 March of Time—KOMO, KPO.
Band Concert—CJVI.
Melody—KNA.
Red Ryder—KJR.
Time for Romance—CKWX.
Mystic Sinner—KIRO.
Din Wilson—CJOR.
News—KNX, KIRO at 7.45.

8.00 News—CKWX.
News—CJR.
Fred Waring—KOMO.
Anson W. Andy—KIRO, KNX.
Headlines in History—CJOR.
John Doe, American—KOL.
Watch the World—KJR.
Rhythm Rascals—CJVI.
Night Editor—KOMO, KPO at 8.15.
Rena and Anson—KJR at 8.15.
Hilly James—KIRO, KNA at 8.15.
News—CJOR at 8.15.

8.30 News—CJVI.
CJR.
Fanny Brice—KOMO, KPO.
Dinah Shore—KIRO.
This is the Hour—KOL.
Buy Washington—KJR.
From the Show—CJOR.
Robin Hood—CJVI at 8.55.
News—KIRO at 8.55.

9.00 News—KOL.
Hit of the Week—CKWX.
Community Chest—KNA.
A.P. Program—KJR.
Radio Rascals—CJOR.
Close Your Eyes—KIRO.
The Golden Rule—KPO.
Beauvillie—CJVI.
Dinah Shore—CJR.
News—KOL at 9.15.

9.30 Hollywood Showcases—KNX.
Lionel Hyndman—KIRO.
Heath Lewis—CJOR.
Elery Queen—KOMO, KPO.
The Golden Rule—KPO.
Songs of Empire—CJR.
Music—CKWX.
Robert F. Patterson—KIRO at 9.45.

10.00 News—KOMO, KPO, KNX, CBR.
CKWX.
Town Meeting—KJR.
Arminia Joe—KOL.
Qut of the Night—CJVI.
Sports Plays—KIRO.
Kroner—CJR at 10.10.
News—KIRO, KOL at 10.15.

10.30 News—CJVI.
Interlude—CJR.
Symphony—KOL.
Memories of Hawaii—CKWX.
Concert Hour—CJOR.
Radio Music—KOMO, KPO.
Sports and Music—KNA.
Gene Crows—KNA, CBR at 10.35.
Started for Listening—KOL at 10.45.
News—KPO at 10.55.

11.00 News—KNX.
News—CJR.
Dance—KPO, KJR.
Starred for Listening—KOL.
Touchdown—KPO.
The Moving West—KJR.
Dance Music—CJR, KIRO.
Anything—CJOR.
Orest—KJR at 11.15.
News—CJR at 11.25.

11.30 News—KOL.
Public Affairs—KNX.
Dance—KPO, KJR.
Victory Front—KIRO.
News for Alaska—KIRO at 11.45.
News—KPO, KOL at 11.45.
News—CJR, KIRO at 11.55.

7.00 News—KIRO, KOL, KONO, KOO.
Circus—KPO.
"G-O" Mas—CJOR.
Musical Clock—CJVI.
Clara Daniels—KJR.
News—KJR at 7.15.

7.30 News—CJR, KOL, KIRO, KNX.
Morning Musicals—KJR.
Merrill Moore—KOMO, KPO.
Musical Minutes—CJR at 7.35.
News—KOMO, KNX, KPO at 7.45.

8.00 News—CKWX, CJOR, CBR, CJVI.
Radio Parade—KOMO.
Trupak Co.—KPO.
Man About Town—KJR.
Everyman's Chapel—KJR.
Band of the Morning—KNX.
Breakfast Club—KOL.
News—KIRO at 8.15.
Vamp Till Ready—CJR at 8.15.

8.30 News—KOL.
Valiant Lady—KIRO, KNX.
Victor Lindahl—KOMO.
Just About Time—CKWX.
Front Line Family—CJR.
Breakfast Club—CJOR, KJR.
Pages in Melody—CJR at 8.45.

9.00 News—KJR, CBR.
Kate Smith—KIRO, KNX.
The O'Neill—KOMO, KPO.
Shubin Program—CJOR.
Booke Carter—KOL.
Rhythm—CJVI.
Growing Neighbor—CKWX.
Ray Daughters—KOL at 9.15.
Big Sister—KIRO, KNX, CBR at 9.15.
News—CJOR at 9.15.

9.30 News—KOL.
Ted Steele—KOMO.
Romance of War—KNA.
Gladys Cronkhite—KPO.
Lucy Linton—CJR.
Helen Trent—KIRO.
Breakfast at Sardi's—KJR.
Betsy and Bob—CKWX.
Hawaiian Music—CJOR.
Lucky Listening—CJOR at 9.45.

10.00 News—KOL.
Walkers Kitchen—KOMO, KPO.
Walking With—CJR.
Life Beautiful—KIRO, KNX.
Tenor and Saxophone—CKWX.
Bonkshap Talking—KJR.
News—KPO at 10.15.
The Happy Gang—CJR at 10.15.
Parent-Teachers' Assn.—CJOR at 10.15.
Ma Perkins—KIRO at 10.15.

10.30 News—CJVI.
Vic and Sade—KNX, KIRO.
Bender's Notebook—CKWX.
Breakfast Club—KJR.
Jewel Box—KOMO.
News and Music—KOL.
Harmony Highway—CJOR.
The Goldbergs—KIRO, KNX at 10.45.
They Tell Me—CJR, CJVI at 10.45.
News—CJOR at 10.45.

11.00 Make Mine Music—CJVI.
Gladys Foster—KOL.
Light of World—KOMO, KPO.
Young Dr. Malone—KIRO, KNX.
Vance Martin—KJR.
Concert Caravan—CKWX.
Life Beautiful—CJOR at 11.15.

11.30 News—KJR.
Circus—KIRO, KIRO, KNA.
Love and Learn—KIRO, KNX.
Carol Carter—KOL.

Tonight's Features

6.00—Music Hall: Bing Crosby, Mary Martin—KOMO, KPO.

6.30—Spotlight Bands... Duke Ellington—KJR.

6.30—Address by Major Rev. Armand Sabourin, Chaplain at Dieppe—CJR.

7.00—Abbott and Costello—KPO, KIRO.

7.30—March of Time—KOMO, KPO.

8.30—Fanny Brice, Frank Morgan—KOMO, KPO.

9.00—The Aldrich Family—KPO, KIRO.

9.30—Ellery Queen... "The Bald-headed Ghost"—KPO, KIRO.

10.00—America's Town Meeting: Senator John Danaher and George Gallup speaking on "Election Results"—KJR.

They Tell Me—CKWX.

Drum—CJR.

Vic and Sade—CJOR.

Music—CJVI.

Studio Party—CJOR at 11.45.

Cowboy Joe—KJR at 11.45.

News—KOL at 11.45.

News—KOL, KPO.

Mary Martin—KOMO, KPO.

Lane and Carter—KNX.

Radio Today—KJR.

Three K's—KIRO.

B.C. Farm Broadcast—CJR.

Hit of the Day—CKWX.

The Buccaneers—CJVI.

News—KIRO, KNA at 12.15.

Christmas Committee—KOL at 12.15.

News—KOL, KPO.

Mary Martin—KOMO, KPO.

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Conservative Meeting
Canceled; No Quorum

Annual meeting of Victoria Conservative Association was canceled Wednesday night when only 20 members, 30 less than the required quorum, failed to show up at Conservative Association headquarters on Fort Street.

Sinclair Elliott, president, said the dimout no doubt had a great deal to do with the small attendance. He said the three Conservative ministers in the B.C. cabinet, Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Hon. Ernest Carson and Hon. R. L. Maitland, were out of town, busy with the Salmon Arm by-election and so were unable to attend. Mr. Maitland sent a letter of greeting. Brig. J. Sutherland Brown, who was to have spoken, was not present.

Mr. Elliott set Dec. 2 for the annual meeting.

Protest Handling
Of Coal Strike

A protest over the manner in which the federal authorities handled the recent coal mine strike up-island will be sent to Humphrey Mitchell, Minister of Labor, by the Victoria and District Trade and Labor Council as a result of a decision it reached Wednesday night.

Support of a similar letter from Nanaimo was sought by the up-island body.

The local trade council also voiced protest over the move to have parents pay for gas masks being distributed to school children.

George Wilkinson, organizer for the council and business agent for the Retail Clerks' Union, reported an agreement had been signed with Safeway Stores Ltd. calling for a wage scale of \$27 a week for experienced women clerks.

The council protested Mayor Andrew McGavin's choice of a labor representative to act on the local rationing committee under the Wartime Prices and Trade Board without first consulting labor groups in the city.

At the request of the Real Estate Board of Victoria, the council unanimously approved a move to hold a joint meeting with the board to discuss certain phases of the transportation problem prior to seeking a session with the city subcommittee on transportation in an effort to iron out certain misunderstandings on the question. The labor group further decided to protest to the national controller of transportation at Ottawa over the manner in which the issue had been handled here.

REPORT DUE

An early report from the provincial Department of Labor, dealing with the recent dispute between the Canadian Industries Ltd. at James Island and its employees would be made, Mr.

Wilkinson said. The question had been given speedy attention by the labor department, he added.

Endorsement was given a letter from the Island Joint Labor Conference seeking improvement in hygienic facilities in various

industrial plants and asking support for the move to secure elimination from the Unemployment Insurance Act of that clause forbidding benefits to any person losing employment through participation in a labor dispute.

Congratulations were extended to P. Bengough, acting president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, in a letter which also complimented him on his co-operation with A. R. Mosher, Canadian Congress of Labor, in im-

proving trade union conditions in Canada.

During the meeting E. Holmes, business agent for the teamsters local, Vancouver, spoke on the place of trade unionism in present-day society.

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Army Enlistments
Top Figure of 1941

Army enlistments from Jan. 2 to Nov. 15, 1941, totaled 9,393. It was announced by officials of Pacific Command, Vancouver, Wednesday. The figure, which probably includes a number of men who enlisted voluntarily after receiving their call-up notices, is said by officials to be a record. Total enlistments in 1941 were 6,775. Enlistments by the month since June last were as follows: June 846, July 1,155, August 1,138, September 979, October 1,119.